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Community rallies to revitalise West Bay

by Jack Dixon

WEST Bay residents are pulling together in an effort to revitalise the resort, following criticism of its untidy appearance.

More than 50 people turned out for a meeting of the West Bay Community Forum last Thursday evening, and positive discussions were held on a range of issues affecting the area.

Of particular concern to residents are the issues of car parking and removing the pinch point at the junction into the harbour.

But improvement of the seafront and the general appearance of the

resort have also been suggested, along with the possibility of introducing a dog warden scheme.

Following the meeting, forum leaders are now confident that action plans can be drawn up with the help of volunteers and local councils.

Ann Guppy, chairman of the West Bay Community Forum, said: "We were very pleased with the turnout at the meeting – more than 50 people attended and there was standing room only."

"It is very encouraging to see

such enthusiasm from local people and we had some positive discussions on how to move forward.

"We talked through all plans and ideas and there is clearly a lot of interest in a wide variety of projects."

"The next step is to get volunteers on board to start the process with some of these ideas and to allocate resources towards making them happen."

Earlier this month, West Dorset District Councillor for Bridport Keith Day, said West Bay looked like a "concrete jungle" and had become "very bleak".

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EASTER RAFFLE | Members of Bridport Lions Club spent Good Friday and Easter Saturday raffling Easter eggs at Morrisons supermarket to raise funds for the club's charity account.

Thanks to the generosity of everyone who bought a ticket, a total of £383.63 was raised.

Handcrafted Easter eggs, donated by local business the Bridport Chocolatier, were awarded to the winners after hundreds of raffle tickets were purchased.

Pictured are Lions members June Webb (left) and Vera Whittaker. For more information about the Bridport Lions Club, visit www.bridportlionsclub.org



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ARTHUR Watson, along with his wife, Janet Watson, is the owner of the Riverside Restaurant in West Bay.

The family has owned the restaurant since 1960 and Arthur and Janet took over in 1964, and they are now celebrating 50 years at the helm.

Their grandson, Eli, works alongside them as part of the chef team, while their son Tom has his own restaurant in Switzerland on the shores of Lake Geneva.

■ **THE Riverside restaurant has been around for more than 50 years. Could you tell us a bit about its history?**

The early history of the Riverside was a simple café that catered for the demands of the locals and visitors, most of whom came by train or bus and camped out. Many coach companies used West Bay as a destination for day trips and the demand was for cream teas and simple meals. It was always a rendezvous for the local fishermen and the domino school lasted well into the night.

■ **SO the Riverside has played a key role in the local community during that time?**

Yes. There has been a refreshment point on the site of the present Riverside since the 1920s. First of all a tent, then some sheds, then bigger sheds incorporating West Bay Post Office and finally, after the disastrous floods of the early seventies, the present building which was constructed in 1976 to a design from the CZWG architectural partnership. Additions have since been made. During the 50 years we have also been able to employ some 400 young people during the holidays to give them a taste of work experience and to earn money of their own.

■ **THE Riverside is now renowned for its vast selection of seafood and local produce. When did that start?**

Everything changed in the 1980s when local people began to go abroad and wanted foods they had tasted on their holidays. Also the advent of second home ownership began. The traditional menu was no longer in demand and we turned to seafoods, as the finest quality was available on the doorstep.



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■ **BEING a well known seafood restaurant that sources many of its food locally, do you cater for other tastes?**

Yes, although seafood has remained our main theme ever since, we do provide alternatives for people who do not enjoy fish. Our theme has always been to buy locally wherever possible and more than 90 per cent of our raw materials are from local sources.

■ **THE Riverside Restaurant has won the Taste of the West Gold award for the fourth time this year and featured in the Observer's Top 10. Do you have any tips for success?**

We are all delighted to be awarded the Taste of the West Gold Star again. This award is based upon an unannounced visit from experienced judges and is hard to get. Customer loyalty has enabled us to keep going for all of our 50 years and our staff have built up great relationships with customers. Chilly, the manager has been with us for some 30 years, Sue our restaurant manager more than 20, Nick the produce buyer and chef nearly as long, and Tony, our highly skilled and inventive Head Chef is nearing 10 years.

■ **THE Riverside also hosts themed nights. Do you have any coming up soon?**

We are holding two special themed menu nights in May. Both dates are for Friday evenings. Our event on May 9th is based upon Spanish Cuisine and on May 16th we will have local lobster dishes as the theme.

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A35 traffic concerns remain

COUNCILLORS have confirmed they are looking into further changes to the A35 to ease traffic problems in and out of Bridport.

Serious concerns still remain about the speed of cars approaching the town at the Miles Cross junction and further down the road at The Crown roundabout, and a working group is currently looking into ways to make conditions safer.

Councillor Sarah Williams, Leader of Bridport Town Council, informed councillors at a recent meeting that the speed limit on the A35 would be reduced from 50 to 40 mph between Chideock and Miles Cross, and from 60 to 50 mph between Miles Cross and The Crown roundabout.

She also said safety cameras could be useful at Miles Cross and that costs would be assessed.

Problems at the Miles Cross junction go back more

by Jack Dixon

than 20 years and the number of fatalities as a result of accidents there is now in double figures.

It has also been suggested that the situation could be worsened further by traffic flows in and out of the major housing development proposed at Vearse Farm and the waste management facility at Broomhills.

Last month, Councillor David Tett – West Dorset District Councillor for Bridport South – renewed calls for a roundabout to be built at the junction but the Highways Agency has always maintained that the collision statistics do not support the case.

At the meeting, Councillor Ros Kayes said West Dorset District Council should “step up to the

mark” and make funding available to change the junction.

She said: “WDDC must not avoid its responsibility here. It will be getting considerable monies and it needs to put that money into seeing to that junction.”

Councillor Dave Rickard also suggested that the proposed speed limit reductions might not have the intended effect of slowing traffic down.

He said: “I am still a little bit concerned about the situation because traffic from the west will still be coming to the junction at Broomhills at 50 mph downhill.

“People will only realise very suddenly that there are traffic lights up ahead and I think it needs rumble strips – it is when people change speed that accidents happen.”

Unexploded gun shell found at holiday park

HOLIDAYMAKERS were removed from an area of Freshwater Holiday Park in Burton Bradstock on Thursday (April 24th) after an unexploded gun shell was discovered.

The large shell was spotted near a beachside caravan at around 1:20pm, and some visitors were asked to temporarily leave the immediate area as a precaution.

Dorset Police took over the situation and put in place a 50-metre cordon around the item, before calling in bomb disposal experts who removed the shell just after 4pm.

A police spokesperson said: “Police received a call from a member of the public at around 1:20pm, reporting an item of ordnance, thought to be a gun shell, found near a beachside caravan.

“A 50-metre cordon was

put in place around the caravan by police, assisted by staff from Freshwater.

“An Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) team was contacted and the items was picked up and taken away at 4:09pm.”

Scott Condliffe, manager at Freshwater Holiday Park, said staff exercised caution to ensure the safety of visitors.

He said: “A customer spotted the item while passing by, which turned out to be a shell.

“It was fairly harmless, but people in the immediate area were advised to stay clear as a precaution.

“The situation was quickly turned over to the police.

“We had to wait quite a long time for the bomb squad to arrive and the cordon was kept in place until the item was removed.”

IN THE DRIVING SEAT | A Bridport-based musical duo is making waves on national radio, after being championed by a number of top DJs.

Husband-and-wife team Elijah and Ava Wolf, who perform under the name The Gravity Drive, will release their new single ‘Fun’ next month, following airplay from the likes of BBC Radio 2’s Janice Long and BBC 6 Music’s Tom Robinson.

The single is set to be released on May 12th, ahead of the release of the band’s debut album in the autumn, for which they are planning a record launch gig in

Bridport.

The band also recently performed in store at Bridport Music as part of the shop’s Record Store Day celebrations.

Elijah said: “We have been blessed to work with a wonderful team of people on our record especially our producer Pete Schwiier.

“We are over the moon that the records are now being broadcast on the national airwaves and it is a testament to their hard work.”

● ‘Fun’ will be released on Monday May 12th on iTunes and will be available to buy from the band’s website www.thegravitydrive.com



West Bay community pulls together

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Councillor Day also called for urgent repair and regeneration of the resort, which he said was “insulting” to tourists in its current state.

In response to the comments, members of the Community Forum have vowed to bring some colour back to West Bay.

Ann Guppy added: “One of the things that members feel strongly about is brightening the place up – this might be in terms of planting flowers around the resort or maintaining an effective beach clean scheme.

“In the future we are also looking at a pavement art project and have been in touch with a local pastille

artist.

“It would be great to have a project which children could also get involved with.

“We have an outstanding play area here and we have to hold that up as the standard for the rest of West Bay. It is an inspirational piece of work and we must work together to bring in similar ideas.”

Dorset County Councillor Ros Kayes, who helped to set up the Forum last year, said things were “beginning to move forward” and that residents would continue to liaise with town, district and county councils to make the changes.

Councillor Dave Rickard, West Dorset District Council ward

member for Bridport South, said: “Geographically West Bay is separate from the town centre and this has led to a few problems with identity over the years.

“But what they have got going here is a really useful community group that will help to bring people together.

“It is always easier to deal with problems when there are people coming together and talking about them and the town council is very happy to work with these groups.

“It will be a positive step for the community to have a little bit more say in what West Bay looks like and what they can offer to visitors.”

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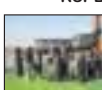


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Where is West Dorset on county council cabinet?

WEST Dorset hardly gets a look-in with changes to Dorset County Council's Cabinet.

The all-powerful committee, which effectively makes all the council's decision, is packed with councillors from the East and North of the county.

Only two councillors, councillor Rebecca Knox, responsible for families and children's safeguarding from Beaminster, and councillor Jill Haynes, from Maiden Newton, represent West Dorset.

The re-shuffle was caused by councillor Hilary Cox standing down as portfolio holder for environment and the economy, after 13 years as a cabinet member. The role – which includes responsibility for services such as highways, public transport, economic development and the countryside – will be filled by councillor Peter Finney.

Councillor Finney has been cabinet member for community and public health since May last year. This responsibility will now be taken on by councillor Colin Jamieson.

Councillor Cox, who represents the Winterbourne division, joined the cabinet in 2001, and has been portfolio holder for both environment and community services. She will also relinquish her role as chairman of the Dorset Waste Partnership Joint Committee.

Councillor Flower paid tribute to her energy, achievements and tireless hard work during a meeting in Dorchester.

He said: "Hilary Cox has a proud record of achievement, not only for the residents in her county division but also the significant contribution she has made during her time as a member of the cabinet. I would also like to take the opportunity to thank Hilary for her personal support during my first year as leader."

Councillor Finney is the elected member for the West Moors and Holt division, and has previously held cabinet responsibility for highways and transport services at the council.

Councillor Flower said: "With Peter's past experience of the environment directorate, I feel this was a practical choice. I intend working very closely with both Peter and our new director, Mike Harries, to radically restructure the directorate and ensure we continue delivering excellent services within reduced resources."

Councillor Jamieson represents the Highcliffe and Walkford division in Christchurch, and has been a county councillor since 2009. His role will cover community services such as libraries, trading standards and emergency planning, along with public health.

Councillor Flower added: "This role fits well with his previous experience as chairman of the council's public health overview committee. I'm sure Colin will be a tremendous asset to the cabinet team."

The county council's Cabinet now consists of: councillor Spencer Flower – Leader (Verwood & Three Legged Cross); councillor Robert Gould – corporate resources and deputy Leader (Sherborne); councillor Toni Coombs – education and communications (Verwood & Three Legged Cross); councillor Peter Finney – environment and the economy (West Moors and Holt); councillor Jill Haynes – adult social care (Three Valleys); councillor Colin Jamieson – community and public health (Highcliffe and Walkford); councillor Rebecca Knox – families and children's safeguarding (Beaminster); councillor John Wilson was re-appointed as chairman of the county council (Ferndown); councillor Andrew Cattaway will continue as vice-chairman (Stour Valley).

Fire service announces strikes

DORSET Fire and rescue Service said it will be providing a reduced emergency response during three new strike dates announced by the Fire Brigades Union (FBU) for May 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

The action is the latest by the FBU in its national dispute with the Department of Communities and Local Government and will bring the number of strikes since September to 12.

Chief Fire Officer Darran Gunter said: "As with the previous strikes we will once again be putting our contingency arrangements in place. We are disappointed the FBU and the Government have not been able to come to an agreement about the fire-fighters' pension scheme at this stage. It is important to stress that this is a national dispute.

"We have put plans in place to en-

sure Dorset Fire and Rescue is able to respond to incidents, but we would ask members of the public to take extra steps to reduce the risk of a fire breaking out in their home. We will continue to work with all our partners locally to ensure businesses; homes and our environment can be kept as safe as possible from fire during this period of industrial action."

DFRS will be issuing fire safety advice in the run up to this latest round of strike action. It includes:

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plug in one socket or use a tested 'bar' type of extension lead rather than a 'block' type of adaptor.

• Switch off appliances at the wall when not in use

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Improving West Bay

■ I WOULD like to clarify and then expand on my recent statement at the Annual Town Meeting regarding West Bay.

At that meeting and subsequently, I have referred to West Bay as a concrete jungle that was an insult to our visitors.

West Bay is a great place to visit for both tourists and locals, the harbour is quaint and views of the coast from the new jetties are exceptional.

I personally love the place and visit almost every day.

However, if you see it through the eyes of a first-time visitor you may have a different impression – the harbour may have an old-world charm, but elsewhere, unless you appreciate a hard landscape with large areas of concrete, an unfriendly traffic system, generally poor car parking, poor seating and with few trees or plants, you will choose to go somewhere else next time.

Bridport and West Bay need visitors – day trippers and those staying longer – and we need to encourage more to return regularly and often.

In order to do that, we have to make an investment in the facilities and structure. More tourists will mean more money and this creates more jobs.

If you look at old photographs of Bridport and West Bay you will note that there are far more trees and bushes everywhere, many of which have been lost and not replaced.

I am sure there are many local 'gardening' and other organisations that would be pleased to help reverse the trend and improve our town. Why do we not encourage them?

The town council has initiated various projects to enhance the locale, including the play area and the planned water sports centre among others. These are fine, but they do little to improve the overall visitor experience in general.

Our town councillors appear to be complacent

(especially following 'Broadchurch' and its attendant publicity) and are not looking at the area from a visitor's point of view – only their own. My request to the Town Council is that they prepare a radical programme to improve and enhance the whole area.

My suggestions include (but are not limited to):

- The Esplanade, from Ellipse westwards, including the traffic-free area should be generally improved, to include raised flower beds with integrated seating – similar to those at Weymouth. Why not add some shelters?
- Improved access to the beach;
- The roundabouts (outside Parkdean and The Crown) should be improved;
- Suitably weather-resistant trees should be planted throughout the area;
- The ridiculous 'new' traffic arrangements and pinch-point should be replaced with a logical and user-friendly traffic system;
- For safety, a 20mph speed limit should be instigated throughout the Bay area;
- The parking areas near to the Bridport Arms and adjacent to The West Bay should be paved.

I have received a large number of calls from local people supporting my position after it was published recently. Many have voiced even more radical ideas for improvement.

Of course, everything costs money, but with the help of DCC and WDDC these improvements could soon repay the investment.

If you agree with me, why not hassle your local town councillor or join the West Bay Community Forum? Without public pressure, nothing will change.

KEITH DAY,
via email

Making best use of what we have

■ I HAVE read about the plans for the new social care 'hub' planned for Bridport and the need to replace/modernise the existing Sidney Gale care home facilities.

It seems to me that with funding in place the council can do no better but to look at the present site together with the still undeveloped adjoining former Mountjoy School site in Flood Lane which has lain idle for over a year now.

I feel that it would be very beneficial for our community in Bridport that the new community hub be built on these sites retaining easy access for users, visitors and carers alike.

It had been mooted that the owners of a national chain of premier hotels were interested

in the Mountjoy site but luckily nothing seems to have come of that.

With the Council 'quietly sitting' on this site and soon to get another piece of prime land I hope, and this is my cynical mind working, that they are not already planning to sell it for commercial gain to supermarket owners, hoteliers or the like.

In fact, if it is too costly to develop a new care hub here then surely a good option would be to develop low cost housing rather than at Vearse Farm therefore benefiting Bridport again.

TOM HOBOT,
Bridport

A lifeline to the older generation

■ I AM writing to say what a wonderful fun/remembrance day we had at Chancery House for Josie Castelli.

Josie Castelli was my mum and she had been attending Chancery House for nearly 12 years, until she sadly passed away earlier this year.

She was referred to Chancery House by Social Services as a means of helping her mix with people and not to feel isolated.

Chancery House and its staff transformed my mum's life; she looked forward to going there, because of the companionship and care she received and each day there was something different going on: arts and craft, keep fit, bingo and on special occasions and days out.

She made lots of friends and it gave her a

purpose to get up, dress up and get out of the house for a few hours each day.

Lunch was provided and so was transport and the cost of these services was well worth the money due to the care and benefits my mum received.

Chancery House and its staff are a lifeline to the older generation; it's far more than simply a meeting place – it gives support and care to those who need it and is tailored to individual needs.

As my mum's carer for the past five years, I soon found that the staff at Chancery House not only helped my mum but also supported me in looking after her.

JULIE CORNWELL,
via email

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Thefts reported

DORSET Police have reported four thefts in the Bridport area, including a large quantity of diesel removed from the fuel tanks of two buses belonging to social services.

The diesel was taken while the buses were parked in the compound at South Mill Lane, at some point over the Easter weekend.

Other thefts included a wheelbarrow taken from the garden of a property in Burton Bradstock; a pair of concrete pots taken from a garden in Biddlecombe Orchard in Bridport; and a handbag stolen from its owner in the club area of the Parkdean Holiday resort in West Bay.

To report a crime, contact Dorset Police by calling 101.

Talk postponed

THE Paul Atterbury talk at Bridport Town Hall on Friday May 2nd has been postponed and will be rescheduled for later in the year. The new date will be published when it is known.

Those who have already booked and paid for tickets should contact Amanda Streatfeild on 01308 422770 or e-mail amanda@higherdenhay.co.uk for a refund.

ADVEARSE launch new web site

CAMPAIGN group ADVEARSE has announced the launch of its new web site. The group is fighting housing development at Vearse Farm, proposed in the West Dorset Local Plan.

Campaigners believe the new site, which enables visitors to post comments, will help spread the group's news across the country.

Children told to be careful on the coast



PUPILS of St Mary's Primary School in Bridport enjoyed a visit from RNLI lifeguards this week for a talk about beach safety.

They were given the chance look at specialist equipment used by the lifeguards, and told what to do if something goes wrong in the water.

They joined in with pretending to surf with the lifeguards and particularly enjoyed practising shouting 'HELP!' as loudly as they could.

Following a number of cliff falls along the Dorset coast in recent weeks, one of the most important pieces of advice passed on to the children was to

stay away from the cliffs, particularly underneath the cliff edge.

Year One teacher, Miss Proctor said: "Being so close to so many beautiful beaches, and with the hope of a hot summer, being given clear safety advice is essential for the local children."

Folk legend Swarb at the Palace

SOME of Bridport's most talented up-and-coming musicians will share the stage with folk legend Dave Swarbrick when he visits the town this week.

'Swarb', best known for the time he spent in folk rock band Fairport Convention, will be passing on some of his experience to young artists in Bridport, as they perform as support acts for his show at the Electric Palace on Friday.

Local singer Jess Vincent and duo Kara J Richards will open the concert, before the legendary fiddle player's appearance.

Tour co-ordinator, Helen Meissner, said: "Dave Swarbrick is synonymous with innovation. He is the fiddler's yardstick to which they aspire."

"Dave continues to compose, perform and produce from his home studio in Coventry, working ceaselessly and capitalising on the wonders of modern technology with a variety of musicians around the world."

"Here is your chance to hear not only the mesmerising fiddle of 'Swarb' but also anecdotes and insights from his extraordinary life, and ask questions which are on the tip of your tongue."

The concert takes place on Friday (May 2nd) at the Electric Palace, starts at 7.30pm. Tickets cost £11 in advance or £13 on the door.



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Mission to see friends reunited

A MAN originally from Burton Bradstock is on a mission to bring his old classmates back together, after months of painstaking research to track them down.

Jay Eastwood, *pictured right*, now a professional photographer, first began the search in December after attending a school reunion for the Colfox School in Bridport, and has been scouring the internet using social network sites to fit names to the faces in an old photograph taken at Burton Bradstock Primary School in 1971.

Mr Eastwood is hoping to reunite the class of '71, but is appealing to anyone who started at the school between 1964 and 1971 to come forward and attend a special reunion event at The Anchor Inn in Burton Bradstock next month.

Mr Eastwood said: "It all stemmed from a secondary school reunion I went to recently and I thought it would be a good idea to see what had become of the people I knew from further back.

"I just decided to bite the bullet and see what I could do. I had no idea how large the undertaking would be but, with the use of social media and the help of other former pupils and friends

by Jack Dixon

with some painstaking research, I have been able to uncover the names.

"I feel sure there will be one or two lurking in the shadows who are unsure about attending, but I urge them to let their curiosity get the better of them and join us for this special night."

Mr Eastwood is hoping as many of his former classmates as possible will turn out for the reunion and is appealing for anyone who recognises themselves in the photograph to get in touch.

A range of 70s memorabilia has been gathered together for the event and Mr Eastwood has even been able to loan the original school bell.

He also hopes to take his former classmates on a nostalgia tour of their old haunts during the day and is inviting them to come and share their school reminiscences.

He added: "When you hit 50 you tend to look back at your formative years and those first steps away from the clutches of parents, and I am now ready to take a walk back in time and



revisit the past.

"A lot of us are grounded, not having strayed too far from the area, and I think a lot of my old school friends will still be living close-by – we were very lucky to be brought up in this part of the world and we should never forget it."

The reunion event will be held on Saturday, May 10th at the Anchor Inn at Burton Bradstock from 6pm.

Anyone who would like to contact Mr Eastwood in advance should email jayphotofinish@aol.com, call 07918 985315, or visit the designated Facebook page.

■ A REUNION event will be held next month for Burton Bradstock Primary School's Class of '71 | Back row (left to right): Kevin Elsworth, Paul Butt, Mark Lingard, Peter Guest, Paul Stevens, Steven Symes, Karen Thorner and Caroline Briant; middle row: Hugo Gordon, Rodney Eveleigh, Kenneth Hussey and Giles Eastwood; front row: Melanie Butcher, Sarah Hyde, Emma Burt, Miss Unstead (teacher) Janet Young, Caroline Oakford and Helen Knell
Photo supplied by EMMA BURT



Easter sheep shearing demo at garden centre



■ SHEARING SKILLS | Crowds flocked to Groves Nurseries in Bridport on Easter Monday to see a special sheep shearing demonstration by one of the garden centre's resident experts. Sadie James (pictured), pet shop assistant at Groves, brought some of her award-winning flock of Greyface Dartmoor sheep to work, where her colleague Shaun Fox gave the crowds the expert demonstration. Greyface Dartmoor sheep are known for their thick coats and this meant it took up to 10 minutes to shear each individual sheep

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Spotlight on town's young performers

SOME of Bridport's brightest young acting talents are being given the chance to perform on the big stage.

Members of Bridport Arts Centre's BACStage youth theatre group will be taking their new play 'Heritage' to the Salisbury Playhouse next month as part of the National Theatre's Connections Festival.

The group, for budding teenage actors aged 12 to 18, were sent a script by acclaimed playwright Dafydd James in December, and having had just a few weeks to prepare their own interpretation, were on stage at the Bridport Arts Centre in March in front of a live audience.

Following the success of the show last month, the group will now perform again in Salisbury on May 10th to other groups from across the

by Lottie Welch

country. Kate Wilson, Learning Co-ordinator at the Arts Centre, said: "We are delighted BACStage are taking part in the Connections Festival at Salisbury."

"The group has worked incredibly hard over the past few months and the play is fantastic – they have done really well with it. Please support them if you can."

The Connections Festival is one of the largest youth theatre festivals in the world and each year the National Theatre commissions 10 new plays, which are then performed by 230 youth theatre companies across the UK.

'Heritage' tells the story of a group

of children gathered together to sing for their village's May Day festival, before an unusual twist takes place.

Director Niki McCretton said: "There is very little in the way of stage directions so the script gives the performers a lot of freedom, but that also makes it very challenging for them."

"It is a very complex piece of work and it is very brave for the writer to hand so much control over to such young performers."

Tickets for Heritage cost £9 each and the performance starts at 7pm.

Tickets can be purchased from the Salisbury Playhouse box office on 01722 320 333, which also includes admission to another show on the same evening.



BACStage members performing 'Heritage' at Bridport Arts Centre ahead of the show at Salisbury Playhouse

■ **EASTER EGG FUN** | The Friends of Symonds Primary School held their annual Easter Egg hunt on April 20th. The trail led pupils, parents and visitors of all ages to the top of Colmers Hill in an attempt to secure a chocolate treat. Despite the weather, the Easter Egg hunt raised over £150 for school funds. Pictured are members of the 'Friends' group (from left to right): Angela Forte, Karen Meek, Terri-Anne Little and Lindsey Cumpstone



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Bridport U3A welcomes new chairman

LOIS Edwards has taken over as the new chairman of the Bridport & District University of the Third Age (U3A) after a "brilliant" year for the branch.

A former school governor and social secretary of the Bridport & District Tourism Association, Mrs Edwards replaces Jenny Malyon, who stepped down at the U3A's annual general meeting last week after three years in the role.

Mrs Edwards, who has been the U3A's groups co-ordinator for the past three years, said she hoped to build on Mrs Malyon's success in making the branch the fastest growing in the South West.

She said: "I love being a member of U3A. It is a wonderful organisation and I would welcome everyone's support in making it even better."

"It has been a brilliant year, with membership up to a record 383, with 53 special interest groups. The U3A has gone from strength to strength and become increasingly popular with fears of a growing waiting list."

by Lottie Welch

Outgoing chairman Jenny Malyon said: "We feel we have developed into a viable and active organisation which has become very much an established part of Bridport and District."

"The reason for most of those left still wanting to join a group is because currently there is not one available to them – these people need our help."

"This situation highlights the need for as many of us as possible to help run a group if we have an interest or talent that we can share."

■ ONE such group, the Bridport and District U3A choir – launched last September – recently staged its first public performance at Bridport United Church Hall. It was led by musical director Matt Kingston and the speaker, local music teacher and award-winning composer Andrew Dickson, was a one-man-band of exotic musical instruments.



■ MEMBERS of the new Bridport & District U3A committee (from left to right): Pat Grafton, groups co-ordinator; Jenny Malyon, outgoing chairman; Lois Edwards, new chairman; Val Gierth, treasurer; and Maureen Cripps, new vice chairman



■ MUSICAL director Matt Kingston with the Bridport & District U3A Singers, who gave their first public performance at the U3A's annual general meeting

Empty boat found five miles out

COASTGUARD teams have recovered a small empty boat, discovered five miles out to sea at West Bay.

The white-hulled boat, between eight and 10 feet in size, was spotted by a fishing vessel on Thursday morning.

Immediate Response Teams were unable to identify the boat and no further information was found from local enquiries later in the day.

A spokesperson for West Bay Coastguard said: "The small boat had no name, council stickers, serial number or any identifiable markings at all. It was in excellent condition and had been very well looked after."

"The officers made local enquiries to see if there were any small boats reported missing in the area but nothing was found."

"Details and photos of the boat were taken and passed to Port-

land Coastguard and the captain of the fishing vessel was advised to report his find to the police.

"The boat could remain in his custody for a period of three months and if the rightful owner does not present themselves during that period, ownership of the boat would transfer to him."

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Top award for seafood restaurant again

A LONG-established West Bay restaurant, famous for its quality seafood, has been recognised among the Gold standard entries in this year's Taste of the West awards.

The Riverside restaurant, which has been owned by the Watson family for 52 years, was praised by expert judges for its locally sourced produce and the "outstanding" quality of its meals.

Following the announcement of the award, restaurant proprietor Arthur Watson said: "It is a wonderful accolade for the Riverside team.

"The quality of the food and the service we provide is very important to us.

"It is excellent news to have it con-

by Lottie Welch

firmed that what we are doing is meeting and exceeding expectations."

Taste of the West is the largest independent regional food group in the UK and works to promote and support fantastic local food and drink.

The judging criteria for this year's awards included the extent of local sourcing and quality of meal and service, as well as atmosphere, ambience and value for money.

One judge commented that the quality of the meal was "outstanding" and presented "beautifully", and while the serv-

ice was attentive it was not overbearing.

The judges also concluded that The Riverside has "fantastic food, location and service" and "is simply a great place for a special occasion".

The menu changes daily according to what is available from local markets and landings and head chef Tony Shaw and his team have built a reputation for high quality seafood.

The award is the fourth time the restaurant has been recognised by Taste of the West, after it won Gold on three previous occasions – in 2009, 2011 and 2013 – and caps the 50th anniversary of Arthur and Jan Watson's ownership of the restaurant.



■ **RECOGNITION** | Riverside restaurant staff with their Taste of the West certificate



On your bike

MOTOCROSS DISPLAY TEAM SET TO RETURN

SUPERSTAR motocross display team Bold Dogs Ling, will once again be the main ring attraction at this year's Melplash show to be held in West Bay on Wednesday August 21st.

The team entertained crowds at last year's show with jumps and flips through the air, and the riders will be returning to West Dorset once again this summer.

The motocross team appeared on the TV contest *Britain's Got Talent* this month and won over the judges to make it through the audition phase.

The judges looked on with a mix of amazement and fear as the full team lined up to sail over the ramp one after another, performing an assortment of jumps, flips and handstands as they came into land.



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COME AND HELP | Members of the Bridport Borough Gardens Community Group who are looking for help from the public

THE Bridport Borough Gardens Community Group is looking for help from the public to help continue the transformation of the garden off South Street.

After a wet and stormy winter, the group are getting the Borough Gardens into shape for the spring and summer, and are holding a Grand Planting Day next Wednesday (May 7th) starting at 11am.

A lot of work has been spent on rejuvenating the little 'haven' behind the old Borough Gardens

by Stuart Broom

in South Street over the past two years thanks to the dedication of the community group.

Chairman Sarah Wilberforce said: "We are now in our second year of this project to redesign this tranquil green space in the middle of the town.

"Over the past two winters we have cleared scrubby undergrowth and reshaped our heritage trees so that they can grow

back to their original elegant proportions.

"Now, thanks to a grant from the Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, we have ordered many new plants to put in place."

Councillor Gill Massey in asking for the help from the public added: "Bring your forks, trowels kneeling mats and gardening gloves. Come and help us breathe new life into this 'secret garden' just off the centre of town.

"For those who haven't yet

discovered it, the gardens can be found by turning into the Tanyard by the side of Peach's Electrical Store in South Street where halfway down you will see the gates to the gardens, or if approaching from Gundry Lane, turn in by the Coach House."

If you want your name added to the list of Friends of the Borough Gardens Group to help with future events, contact Maggie Ray at magieray@aol.com or at the town council offices at Mountfield.

Big turnout for Gray demo

THE attendance at Bridport Art Society's April demonstration must have been a record, and the packed hall enjoyed an entertaining evening by local artist Ray Gray.

He not only shared his thorough knowledge of techniques and materials of the Old Masters, but emphasised the importance of putting passion and your own interpretation into every painting.

He produced an instinctive landscape in oils and showed how quickly you can change your mind and turn it into an entirely different composition by various techniques.

Elise Miles was the winner of this year's John Marlow award on the subject of 'Spring', which was judged

by well known artist Billie Willcox, ably assisted by her artist husband Michael.

They selected her 'Picking Spring Flowers' as the winner with Brody Layton's 'Woodland Scene' second, and Ann Martin taking third place with 'Bowl of Flowers'.

Two other pictures by Joan Haines and Diane Regan were highly commended.

The next demonstration will be Pastels by Richard Turner to be held at 7:30pm on Thursday, May 22nd in the St John Ambulance Hall.

All members and their guests welcome and anyone wishing to join the society should call the secretary on 01308 423894.

Bridport supermarket staff top fundraising chart for Co-operative's charity of the year

by Lottie Welch

STAFF at the Co-operative Food store in Bridport have raised more than £5,000 for charity, after a year-long partnership with the Carers Trust.

The Bridport branch was revealed to have raised the most in the area – £5,318 – having organised a range of events and collections throughout the year.

All Co-operative Food stores were tasked with raising money for the Carers Trust after it was selected as the company's charity of the year for 2013.

Anthony Wright, operations manager for The Co-operative Food, said: "The

teams in my area have done a fantastic job putting the fun into fundraising, and I would like to congratulate them all.

"However, special thanks goes to the team at Bridport, who have shown commitment and dedication to come out on top in our local charts."

Carers Trust is the UK's largest charity for carers, providing information, advice and support for the nation's hidden army of young adult carers.

An estimated 500,000 14-25 year-olds in the UK care for a family member or friend who is unable to cope without their support.

Mr Wright added: "None of this would have been possible without the continued support of our customers, so we must extend our appreciation to them, and assure them that their donations will make a real tangible difference to the lives of young carers."

The Co-operative Group has raised over £6 million nationwide during its year-long charity partnership with the Carers Trust.

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Top dogs at Mosterton Spring Fair

MOSTERTON was filled with all the fun of the fair on Sunday (April 27th) as the local community turned out for the village's annual spring fair.

The village hall was packed with over 20 craft stalls and displays, tombola and a raffle, and volunteers provided tea, cakes and hot food for visitors throughout the day.

All proceeds from the event went towards the

maintenance of the hall.

The highlight of the afternoon was the dog show, which saw owners go head to head to claim the first place rosette, with prizes donated by Kong Toys, Royal Canine and James Well-beloved of Crewkerne Pet Shop.

The overall winner of the Best In Show was Lindsey Baldaro (pictured) with her dog Ruby.



PICTURED clockwise from top left: Organiser of Mosterton Spring Fair Caroline Chaffey (centre right), with best In show winner of the dog show, Lindsay Baldaro (left) with her dog Ruby (also pictured are judge Mary Salmon, centre, and Deborah Blunn); Caroline Chaffey (centre right), with supporters of the dog show held at the Village Hall; colourful ice cream vendor Paul Venn drops in on Kevin Bullock and Emma House, who provided hot meals and teas; Ella Venning, left, and Ann Slee raised money for St Mary's Church at the village's Spring Fair

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Discount deals for Dorset Residents' Week

SOME of the top visitor attractions in and around Bridport will be inviting local people through their doors this week to celebrate Dorset Residents' Week.

Discount deals and special offers have been made available to encourage people living in the area to enjoy more than 50 of the county's leading leisure and entertainment venues, from historic homes and museums to country parks and fitness facilities.

Attractions available at discount prices in the Bridport area include '2 for 1' deals at Mangerton Mill, Palmers Brewery and the Furleigh Estate at Salwayash.

There will also be similar offers at Beaminster Museum and Mapperton Gardens, as well as the Swannery, Children's Farm and Subtropical Gardens at Abbotsbury.

In addition, Bridport Leisure Centre will be offering '2 for 1' entry for adults' public swimming and adults' aqua fit sessions during the week.

Dorset Residents' Week has been organised by West Dorset and Weymouth & Portland councils' Tourism Team, in partnership with other Dorset local authorities.

Nick Thornley, West Dorset District Council and Weymouth & Portland Borough Council Economy, Leisure & Tourism Manager, said: "Residents' Week provides an unmissable opportunity for local residents to visit some of Dorset's top visitor attractions for less.

"We are extremely fortunate to live in such a wonderful area and I fully encourage residents to come out and enjoy the best of what Dorset has to offer and to tell friends and family when they visit later in the year.

"I would like to thank all the attractions that are involved with Dorset Residents' Week this year for making it such a successful event."

Vouchers for all the offers were printed in the spring edition of Dorset County Council's 'Your Dorset' publication and can be used until Sunday (May 4th) at any of the participating venues.

For more information about Dorset Residents' Week along with detailed information about accommodation, events, activities, heritage and culture around the county visit www.visit-dorset.com

Abbotsbury in line for new recycling scheme

ABBOTSBURY residents are among those set for changes to their bin collection service, as the Dorset Waste Partnership (DWP) rolls out a new scheme.

The 'Recycle for Dorset' collection service will start from Monday, October 13th in Weymouth and Portland, and households in Abbotsbury will also be among the 50,000 included across the county.

From October, food waste will be collected weekly using a 23-litre lockable bin and a 7-litre kitchen caddy.

Recycling will be collected fortnightly using a larger wheelie bin and residents' existing boxes, which will be for glass only. Rubbish will be collected fortnightly in a smaller

wheelie bin.

The service encourages residents to recycle more plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays than before, and recycling rates have doubled elsewhere in Dorset since the service was introduced.

Steve Burdis, director of the Dorset Waste Partnership, said: "This is our fourth phase of rolling out the 'Recycle for Dorset' service, having already introduced it to 135,000 households.

"The results so far have been excellent, with big increases in recycling, savings on waste costs and high levels of customer satisfaction.

"As with any change on this scale, it can take a little time to get used to.

"However, this can be overcome with early communications, so I would encourage all residents to read their information, check our website and come to a roadshow to see how it will work for them."

The DWP will soon be posting letters and leaflets to all households set to be affected by the changes, and households have until June 19th to request further support for their specific needs.

A series of public roadshows are also being held during May and June for residents to see the new bins and speak to DWP officers.

Details of these events are included in the letters and can be found at www.dorsetforyou.com/recyclingevents.

Volunteers dig into new project



Photo by
ROBERT GOLDEN

STAFF, parents and children from St Mary's Primary School got to work this week on the allotment and polytunnel recently set up in the school grounds by environmental group Transition Town Bridport (TTB).

The group's 'Growing, Eating and Cooking' project is part of the HOME in Bridport initiative, and volunteers came together

on Sunday afternoon (April 27th) to start the work.

Groves Nurseries offered their support for the project by donating top soil and potting compost, and Modbury Farm also passed on manure for use in the allotments.

Sarah Wilberforce, from TTB, said: "This food garden belongs to everyone in the school and every person counts. Connect-

ing children with growing food is essential for their health and the future resilience of our community."

Part-time gardener Lindsey Pritchard (left) is pictured with volunteer helpers at the allotments on Sunday.

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The History of Harbour Bonfield Garage

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G. Bonfield & Son was founded in 1900 by George Bonfield as a pedal and motorcycle shop. In 1907 the business moved to larger workshops in West Street, where it remained until a move to the present premises in St Andrews Trading Estate in June 2004.

In the early 1930's the company affiliated to the Austin Motor Company and remained agents incorporating Rover under the management of Howard Bonfield who took control of the business in 1977 when his father retired.

As a result of Rovers restructuring the agency ceased in 1996, however, the company continued to sell new and used cars and incorporated the all car Unipart Car Care system for service and repairs.

Harbour Garage in West Bay was purchased in 1947 by Mr Ray Rickard, having moved to Bridport from Hillingdon.

In 1955 the Ford franchise was introduced and several years later a showroom was developed across the road, The Singer franchise was then added and remained until Singers' demise in the late sixties. This was followed by the Datsun franchise continuing until the 1980s.



In 1964 Sue, Ray's daughter, joined the Company and subsequently became a Director, taking over the running of the Company in 1972.

Harbour Bonfield was formed as a result of a need by both companies to modernise their businesses.

The start of 2000 saw Ford Motor Company putting increasing pressure on dealers to upgrade their premises. Harbour's old aircraft hanger failed to meet the criteria Ford had set and a decision was made to sell and relocate.

During the early part of 2004 Howard also concluded that the West Street building had become unsuitable for today's motor industry and that sale and relocation was the way ahead.

As both family owned and run businesses needed to move forward, the directors, all being friends, mooted the idea of a joint venture and the seeds were sown.

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Vintage Sunday Markets to return

THE Vintage Sunday Market that was a big success and drew many visitors to Bridport until it was suspended in 2011 is to return to the town next month.

The monthly market began in 2010 on St Michael's Trading Estate as a natural extension to the antique, collectible, retro and vintage businesses that are based on the estate.

It grew very quickly not only because of its excellent location by the river at the heart of the town but also because it was tapping into the growing retro, antiques and collectibles scene in Dorset.

A spokesman for Hayward & Co, which owns the estate, said: "We are pleased to welcome back the market onto the estate.

"We hope to build on the success of its previous life and have established a small group, representing the traders on the estate, to take charge of the arrangements.

"As responsible landlords of St Michael's, we felt there was a need for us to have more involvement in overseeing such events and that's what we are working towards we hope to everyone's benefit."

The traders themselves are pleased with this latest development, with a spokesman saying: "We are thrilled at the return of the vintage market, and hope that we can once again recreate its wonderful vibrancy and atmosphere by providing the right mix of outside traders, food and live music. We invite everyone to come and join us for what we believe will be a great day out!"

Roy Gregory, who is leader of the Bridport Market Traders Forum, welcomed the news: "Apart from offering an opportunity for additional trading for some of our own members, the return of the market also offers even more reasons to visit Bridport, the gateway to the world heritage Jurassic Coast, and the surrounding areas and it fits with our aim to promote the town in a cohesive way."

The first of the new Vintage Sunday Markets will be held over the Spring Bank Holiday weekend on Sunday 25th May from 10am to 4pm. Subsequent dates are currently being scheduled for June 29th and July 27th.

Business service to offer advice

SMALL and medium-sized businesses in Bridport are to be given expert training and support to help them make the most of digital technology.

A number of workshop events have been planned across Dorset by the Superfast Business service, and the team will be on hand to advise Bridport-based businesses at Highlands End Holiday Park in Eype next month.

In addition to the support provided at the event, businesses will also be able to access one-to-one support from expert advisers to guide them in choosing the right technologies.

Liz Wright, from Superfast Business, said: "The roll out of superfast broadband is enabling businesses in rural areas of Dorset, that have traditionally had a raw deal in terms of connectivity, to take advantage of the new opportunities that better technologies present.

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"Through the Superfast Business service, businesses across rural Dorset are discovering they can now compete on a level playing field with their city-based counterparts countrywide and globally.

"We are urging ambitious businesses with strong growth potential to visit the Superfast Business web site and find out more about the service – it has the potential to revolutionise the way they operate."

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The Bridport event will be held at Highlands End Holiday Park in Eype on Thursday, May 22nd between 9:30am and 12noon.

For more details and to book visit www.superfastbusiness.co.uk/events

Doors open for tours of netting factories

TWO of Bridport's biggest netting manufacturers will be opening their doors to the public on Friday May 9th.

AmSafe and Huck Nets will be welcoming visitors as part of the Ropewalk Fair celebrations, and will give the community a glimpse into the workings of their factories.

Local historian Richard Sims will also be leading walks around Bridport on Saturday, May 10th, during which he will point out significant sites relating to the rope and net industry, past and present.

Walks leave from the museum at 11am and 2pm and will last around an hour-and-a-half.

Tours of Huck Nets run at 10am, 11am and 2pm, with tours of AmSafe leaving at 9:30am, 10:30am and 11:30am. All tours last approximately 45 minutes and are all easy level walking.

Bridport's Ropewalk Fair is a celebration of Bridport's rope and net her-

itage and will be held on and around the Millennium Green and at the Town Hall from May 9th to May 11th.

A range of activities has been put in place for the weekend celebrations, including live music, sporting challenges and arts and crafts competitions.

Members of the community are encouraged to get involved with the fair, either by running stalls and activities, sponsoring the event or volunteering as a helper for the weekend.

Places are very limited for all tours and walks, so must be booked in advance.

Please call the Local History Centre on 01308 458703 or email office@bridportmuseum.co.uk to find out more or book places.

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tle different too, perhaps a Crocodile burger, Bison, or Kangaroo burger?

The local music scene is also really taking off with live acts regularly performing. Next up is Crooked Furrow on Saturday 3rd May, performing an Irish Pub sing-along, then Friday 23rd May sees John de Barra covering loads of classic Rock N Roll tunes.

Karaoke has also proved particularly popular and now takes up a regular Sunday Night slot. Come along and sing your favourite songs with Gary and Liam every Sunday night.

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vation'. When not at work, Stella sings with Weymouth Operatic Society, where she is also their Chairman, and runs her own pet boarding business from home along with her husband and 2 grown up children; Stella also has her own variety of pets and a smallholding that includes geese, ducks and chickens! The best part about working for Basepoint for Stella is the variety of the job, coupled with the friendly community feel from the Basepoint staff and Licencees.

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The Duty Manager position provides a great foundation to a career in management within the leisure industry. Hours are full time based on a working week of 40 hours, covering shifts which include weekends.

Centre Assistant

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Saturday 17 May

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Rocket Science
9.30pm

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT
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Arts Centre, BRIDPORT
Police Dog Hogan
8pm. £12/£11

A CORNUCOPIA OF YOUNG AND LOCAL TALENT SUPPORTING SWARB IN BRIDPORT

NOT one but two nominees for the prestigious Isambard Folk Awards will be performing with folk legend Dave Swarbrick on May 2nd at The Electric Palace, Bridport.

Tour support Said the Maiden and local rising star Jess Vincent found out on Friday that they were both on the shortlist for the Bristol Folk Festival organised competition which is regarded as an important barometer for the emerging folk music scene. For those who did not catch Jess supporting Reg Meuross when he performed at the Electric Palace last year, Jess is an extraordinary songwriter with a unique, distinctive and gorgeous voice which has been compared to Kate Bush, Iris Dement and Maria Muldaur. Her second album Seesaw Dreams has been highly acclaimed, one track being shortlisted for the respected folk Fatea Awards Best Song of 2013. Utterly captivating live, she delivers her songs with subtle arrangements on guitar, baritone uke & shruti box reveal a maturity that belies her youth, yet allows her vulnerability to shine through.

Dave Swarbrick is synonymous with innovation and he is indeed credited with heralding the 'Second Folk Revival' while in seminal Folk/Rock band Fairport Convention, who had their heyday in the 70's. To others he is the fiddler's yard stick to which they aspire.

Not only Swarb, but his support act are a delightful English Folk Trio 'Said the Maiden' who

have been played by Mike Harding on his Folk show, and who are charming audiences across the country with their tight harmonies, playful style and blended unison singing.

Here is your chance to hear not only the mesmerizing fiddle of Swarb, but also anecdotes and insights from his extraordinary life and ask any questions which are on the tip of your tongue.

Local musical duo Kara J Richards are opening the show for what is proving to be an exceptional evening where Dave Swarbrick's passionately held concept of 'Passing the Baton' truly comes alive. More information about the event can be found at www.electricpalace.org.uk

Dave Swarbrick, and special guests Said The Maiden, Kara Richards and Jess Vincent play at the Electric Palace, Bridport on Friday, May 2nd.



Dave Swarbrick
Photo by Kev Boyd

Doors open 7pm. Tickets are £11+booking fee, and £13 on the door. To book visit www.electricpalace.org.uk or call 01308 426336.



Said the Maiden



Jess Vincent
Photo by Tina Dörner

SAM LEE BRINGS NEW ALBUM TOUR TO THE PALACE

BRIMMING with characteristic colour and sumptuous instrumentals, Sam Lee's 'More For To Rise' will be released on May 12th. Sam is coming to Bridport after launching his album tour at London's Queen Elizabeth Halls, Southbank next month. An extraordinary talent, Lee is at the forefront of English Folk.

Not only is he a folk-singer but also promoter, radio host, TV personality, dancer, teacher and owner of a restless mind, luckily powered with generous supplies of optimistic energy. He's a natural singer but the practice was new to him until his first encounter with folk-song some six years ago, an epiphany that compelled him to abandon his work as a visual artist, teacher of wilderness survival and part-time burlesque dancer and go in search of the last custodians of the living traditions, the Gypsy Traveller community.

Sam's career has since gone from strength to strength with his latest release greatly anticipated. We can't wait to hear it in the full glory of Sam Lee next month. More information about the event can be found at www.electricpalace.org.uk

Sam Lee plays at Bridport's Electric Palace on Saturday, May 31st. Doors open 6.30pm, with music from 7.30pm. Tickets are £15+bf om advance (£9 for Friends), from Bridport TIC (01308 424901) and see-tickets.com. £17 on the door.



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WHY IS THE LADY SO FRIGHTENED? AND WHO DROPPED THE RED SCARF?

AS part of its special 35th anniversary program Miracle revisits one of its most popular productions to date, complete with original cast.

It's 1932 and Edgar Wallace, the Fleet Street editor widely known for his hugely popular and successful whodunits, gets a desperate call from his publisher. With only a weekend to produce a new novel, the indefatigable Wallace leaps into action.

The Case of the Frightened Lady is a hilarious account of the antics of the Wallace household as they flit dizzily between reality and fiction, inventing storylines, devising dialogue

and arguing over the final denouement.

The result is pure Miracle, a hugely enjoyable mix of plot, character, farce and irony plus some unforgettable songs. A highly inventive piece of theatre suitable for a family audience of all ages!

The Case of the Frightened Lady will be performed at Bridport Arts Centre this Saturday, May 3rd at 7.30pm.

Tickets cost £12 / £10 members / £8 students and concessions, and are available online at www.bridport-arts.com or by calling 01308 424204



Police Dog Hogan to play Bridport and Lyme gigs

GREAT musicians, great songs; if you're looking for a brilliant night out Police Dog Hogan are for you.

If you read the Guardian or the Daily Telegraph or if you travel with Rough Guides then you probably already know several of this extraordinary band. Tim Dowling (banjo), for example, writes a very popular weekly column in the Guardian's Saturday supplement.

The high-energy seven-piece, combine fiddle, banjo, mandolin, drums and guitars with knockout four-part harmonies in an exuberant fusing of country, pop, folk, and rocking urban bluegrass. Their songs range from the wistful and poetic to out-and-out, foot-stomping tales of doomed barbecues, French mustard and falling in love on a Tennessee highway.

Regular onstage guests include Bill Amberg on the jaw harp and once (memorably) Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall with a tam-bourine!

Come along to Bridport Arts Centre or the Marine Theatre for what could be one of the most foot stompingly brilliant highlights of the year.

Police Dog Hogan play at Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, May 17th at 8pm. Tickets are £12 in advance, 11 member and £5 concessions (available online at www.bridport-arts.com / 01308

424204), or £14/ £13 members and concessions on the door.

The band will play the following night, Sunday, May 18th at the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis, with doors opening 7.45pm. Tickets cost £12 and £10 for concessions and are available online at www.marinetheatre.com or by calling 01297 442138.



Police Dog Hogan

Robin Ince to kick off Fossil Festival

KICKING off this year's Fossil Festival, Robin Ince – Sony Gold Award-winning comedian and science enthusiast (Radio 4's Infinite Monkey Cage with Professor Brian Cox) – presents another in his line of unhinged stand-up comic lectures.

After dabbling in Darwin and Feynman, and cleaning out Schrodinger's Cat, Robin now delves into his mind and possibly your mind too.

From Freud and Jung, to Laing and Milgram, from rats after rewards, to in-

sanity cured by ink spots, Robin looks at the last 100 years of psychiatry, psychology and skewiff brain dabbings. Just how hard is it being a self-conscious being on planet earth?

Come along, he may cure you.

Robin Ince performs at the Marine Theatre this Thursday, May 1st at 8pm.

Tickets are £14 (full) and £13 concessions, and are available online at www.marinetheatre.com or by calling the box office on 01297 442138. A TheatreFriends discount is available.



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Saturday 24th May
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Family Fun on Museums at Night



THERE'S even more to do this year on Museums at Night in Dorchester on Saturday, May 17th. With all six of Dorchester's museums, and the Roman Town House specially open in the evening it promises to be a fantastic night out for all the family. Max Gate is open as a preview to the evening. New this year is a special Museums at Night trail with several prizes to be won.

Entry to all 8 heritage attractions in Dorchester is only £10 for up to a family of 2 adults and 4 children for the evening, when bought in advance. Tickets for this fantastic value family night out at Dorchester's museums and attractions are now on sale from participating museums and the Dorchester Tourist Information Centre. Tickets can be bought on the night at £12.

Dorchester is probably the only town in Britain with such a wealth and diversity of museums: the Dinosaur Museum; the Tutankhamun Exhibition; the Dorset County Museum; the Keep Military Museum; the Teddy Bear Museum; the Terracotta Warriors Museum. It's alive with history and heritage and this is all brought together on Museums at Night on Saturday, May 17th.

Museums at Night promises to be a very special night offering families and individuals an unrivalled opportunity to explore, discover and enjoy these heritage venues. All the museums and attractions are visitor friendly and some have hands on and interactive displays. Museums at Night is on the evening of Saturday 17th May when the museums will be open after hours from 5pm to 9pm, with Max Gate opening as a preview.



▲ IRON Age skeletons on display at Dorchester County Museum

May 1st Celebrations at Bridport Arts Centre

MAY Day was abolished and its celebration banned by puritan parliaments during the Interregnum, but reinstated with the restoration of Charles II in 1660. Festivities have taken place every year since then with traditional British May Day rites and revelry including Morris dancing, crowning a May Queen and merriment involving a maypole. Much of this tradition derives from pagan Anglo-Saxon customs held during the month of May along with many Celtic traditions. And Bridport Arts Centre has celebrated May 1st enough times for it to have become a traditional free for all at 6pm on their forecourt!

"The Arts Centre is in the centre of town and so the perfect place for everyone to gather to enjoy the free entertainment" said Margie Barbour, the organiser of this event, "and it's all free, except the beer" she added.

Wyld Morris dancers thrill the crowd with the split second timing of their clashing sticks and leaps in the air as they criss-cross in Royal Tournament fashion across the Arts Centre forecourt. They are a wonderful side of men and women, musicians and dancers, who in-

crease in number each year as more people want to join in this time-honoured ritual. Theresa Grinter lends the Arts Centre her Maypole and everyone is encouraged to have a go weaving the ribbons in and out and back again – to varying degrees of success but always with much laughter and enjoyment. Then as it is May Day, also International Workers Day, the crowd all sing Billy Bragg's version of The Internationale with the well known tune but using his new lyrics.

The free celebrations start at 6pm and there are local beers and ciders to quaff and quench your thirst after vigorously joining in the Maypole dancing. Interestingly, with the prospect of the United Kingdom no longer including Scotland, it was on May 1, 1707, that the Act of Union came into effect, joining England and Scotland to form the Kingdom of Great Britain. So make sure you join in what could be the last opportunity to celebrate Mayday in the United Kingdom! Call the box office on 01308 424204 or go to www.bridport-arts.com for more information.



Kast Off Kinks at The Gateway

Two top National Theatre performances will also be screened live at the Seaton venue

THE iconic British rock band, The Kinks, are often cited as one of the most important and influential rock bands of all time, and the **Kast Off Kinks** will bring all the groups greatest hits to Seaton on Saturday, May 17th.

The Kinks' first hit, *You Really Got Me*, in 1964, broke new ground with driving power chords and Dave Davies' distorted guitar sounds, and created a template for many bands to follow in a rock and roll development which led variously to heavy metal, new wave and grunge.

Later work saw the band's style change to more melodic songs, highlighting Ray Davies' lyrical and observational skills in songs like *Sunny Afternoon*, *Dead End Street* and *Waterloo Sunset*.

Although the band's popularity in the UK waned in the 1970s, they found new commercial success, particularly in the USA, in the late 1970s and early 1980s, and returned to the UK top 20 in 1983 with *Come Dancing*. The Kinks continued as a recording and gigging band until 1996, when the Davies brothers went their separate ways with solo careers.

The Kast Off Kinks formed in 1994 to keep the music playing on, and it is what the name implies – the original line-up consisted of the band that played *Lola* (apart from Ray and Dave) – Mick Avory, John Dalton and John Gosling – together with singer/guitarist Dave Clarke.

The current line-up is the band that played *Come Dancing* – Avory, Gibbons and Jim Rodford (respectively the Kinks' longest-serving drummer, keyboard player and bassist) – still with Dave Clarke covering for the Davies brothers. (As Jim is currently very busy playing with The Zombies and Argent, John Dalton often comes out of retirement to stand in for him.)

Almost every other ex-Kink has guested with The Kast Off Kinks, including Ray Davies.

Tickets are £12 in advance and £15 on the door.

FOLLOWING its smash-hit live broadcast in 2012, the National Theatre production of *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* returns to cinemas, with a screening at Seaton's Gateway at The Town Hall on Friday, May 23rd.

Based on the acclaimed novel by Mark Haddon, adapted by Simon Stephens and directed by Marianne Elliott, *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* has been hailed by The Times as 'a phenomenal combination of storytelling and spectacle'. Winner of 7 Olivier Awards in 2013, including Best New Play.

Christopher, fifteen years old, has an extraordinary brain – exceptional at maths while ill-equipped to interpret everyday life. When he falls under suspicion of killing Mrs Shears' dog Wellington, he records each fact about the event in the book he is writing to solve the mystery of the murder. But his detective work, forbidden by his father, takes him on a frightening journey that upturns his world.

Tickets £12.50 in advance and £15 on the door.

ALAN Ayckbourn's *A Small Family Business*, a riotous exposure of entrepreneurial greed, returns to the National Theatre where it premiered in 1987.

Jack McCracken: a man of principle in a corrupt world. But not for long. Moments after taking over his father-in-law's business he's approached by a private detective armed with some compromising information. Jack's integrity fades away as he discovers his extended family to be thieves and adulterers, looting the business from their suburban homes. Rampant self-interest takes over and comic hysteria builds to a macabre climax.

National Theatre Live broadcast of *A Small Family Business* will be screened at The Gateway at Seaton Town Hall on Thursday, June 12th at 7pm.

Tickets £12.50 in advance and £15.00 on the door.

Tickets for all shows are available from the Town Hall box office on 01297 625699, and online at www.seatongateway.co.uk

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UK Folk Singer of the Year coming to Bridport

BELLA Hardy, who had planned to come to Bridport on May 10th, has now had to change the day to May 15th to accommodate a barrage of commitments after recently winning the BBC2's prestigious Folk Singer of the Year award.

29-year-old Bella Hardy's inter-

pretations of traditional music and her own song writing have won her critical and popular acclaim. She has been flooded with television and radio appearances and is looking forward to visiting Bridport for some time by the sea away from her busy schedule.

The show on Thursday, May

15th takes place at 6.30pm. Tickets cost £10 plus booking fee in advance, or £12 on the door. Advance tickets are available from www.seetickets.com or by calling 01308 424091.

More information about this special music event can be found at www.electricpalace.org.uk

THE TABERNACLE & MUSIC AT EVENSONG

THE St Mary's Parish Church Choral Evensong on Sunday, May 4th will have two themes: the church/tabernacle and music.

The Director of Music, Peter Jezard has chosen Harris' 'Behold the tabernacle of God' for the anthem and 'Christ is our corner stone' and 'Christ is made the sure foundation' for two of the hymns.

Music in worship will be celebrated with the lively introit by Pitoni 'Cantate Domino' and in the final hymn 'Angel voices ever singing'.

The Evensong on May 4th takes place at St Mary's Church, Bridport at 4pm.

Team Rector Canon Andrew Evans will be the preacher and he commented: "In the three summer months the choir will be taking a well-deserved break from choral evensongs, these will start again on Sunday, September 7th for an autumn series of sermons."

For more details call 01308 422136 or 01308 422138.



IN-DEMAND | Bella Hardy has changed the date of her upcoming Bridport show

Lyme Bay Chorale's Spring Concert 'Rejoice and be Glad!'

LYME Bay Chorale's next concert, 'Rejoice and be Glad!', is to be held at 7pm on Saturday, May 10th at St Michael's Church in Lyme Regis. Tickets £12 to include a delicious, post concert buffet.

"Lyme Bay Chorale is a local choir for local people" says Alex Davies their musical director. Alex is the organist at St Michael's. He trained at Trinity College of Music and worked at various London churches with professional choirs and was a cathedral organ scholar before moving back to his hometown.

The centrepiece of the concert is Zoltan Kodály's Missa Brevis which was started in 1941 as the Nazis and Russians fought over the composer's beloved Budapest. Audi-

ence and singers could hear the sound of the allied shelling and one audience member commented that he felt that the bombs were the timpani part!

Other works being performed include three of Vaughan-Williams' 5 Mystical Songs, with baritone soloist David Foreacre; the Magnificat from Herbert Howells' fine Evening Service; Sumsion's evocative choral and organ anthem They That Go Down to the Sea in Ships and the final movement of Bernstein's Chichester Psalms sung in Hebrew, a musical depiction of the composer's hope for brotherhood and peace.

David Bruce-Payne is the guest conductor, his third exciting and invigorating association with the



◆ David Bruce-Payne

Choir. David was formerly Organist and Master of the Choristers at Birmingham Cathedral and an Assistant Organist at Westminster Abbey. He is now an examiner for the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, and travels from his home in Weymouth to conduct at rehearsals and performances.

For more information about the Choir visit their website at www.lymebaychorale.co.uk.

The concert is free to young people 18 or under and our charity is Lyme Bay Chorale's Bursary for Young Singers.

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View 2 Diary Dates

UNTIL MONDAY MAY 5TH

LYME REGIS: Exhibition: 'Coast to Country' at the Courtyard Gallery, The Town Mill, from 10.30am - 4.30pm daily. Free admission.

THURSDAY MAY 1ST

BRIDPORT: Bridport Electronic Organ Club Concert with Byron Jones. At United Church Hall, East Street. Doors 7pm, concerts 7.30pm. Membership £4 per year. Concert admission: members £7, visitors £8.

CHIDEOCK: Bingo at the village hall. Eyes down 7.30pm.

BRIDPORT: Bridport Pagan Moot presents 'The Healing Power of Sound' an introductory talk with Lucy Starchild. At The Ropemakers Pub, from 8pm.

SATURDAY MAY 3RD

NORTH PERROTT: Harp/Flute Concert at Perrott Hill School at 6.30pm. In aid of North Perrott Church Roof Fund. £15, under 18s free. Includes light supper and glass of wine. Enquiries to 01460 72883.

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Peter Sellers and Jacques Tati film evening at the village hall. Showing classic black and white film 'Only Two Can Play' (PG). At 7.30pm. Tickets £5 pre-booked - available from Burton Bradstock Post Office or by calling 01308 897935. Complimentary tea/coffee available. Cash bar and raffle. Profits in aid of Starlight Children's Foundation.

BRIDPORT: Wessex Military Band free concert in Bucky Doo Square from 10am to 12.30pm (weather permitting). Please come and join us in the heart of this bustling friendly town and listen to the music while enjoying your coffee and cake before mooching around the famous markets. For more information visit www.wessexmilitaryband.co.uk or call 01308 425010.

SATURDAY MAY 3RD & SUNDAY MAY 4TH

LYME REGIS: Hobby & Craft Fayre to be held at The Pilot Boat Inn from 10am to 4pm. Local Crafts, Homemade Jams and Chutneys, Vintage and Collectables. Profits to "Force" Cancer Charity. Admission Free. For more details call Jean on 01297 21508.

SUNDAY MAY 4TH

PUDDLETOWN: Plant Heritage Dorset Group Spring Plant Fair at Athelhampton House near Puddletown, 10.30am-3pm. Many specialist nurseries and the Plant Heritage stall, providing interesting plants, often not available from garden centres, at reasonable prices. Entry to the plant fair includes full access to this beautiful house and garden (£5.00 concessionary entry fee to RHS members and non-members with a Plant Heritage voucher). A good licensed restaurant and free parking at the venue. Details from Rob on 01929 481535 and the NCCPG website.

BRIDPORT: The Tabernacle and Music at Evensong, at St Mary's Parish Church, South Street. 4pm. For more details call 01308 422136 or 01308 422138.

WEYMOUTH: Weekly Arts and Crafts event at Riviera Hotel, Bowleaze Cove, from 10am-3pm. Free entry to the public. Free parking available. Supporting RAF Wings Appeal. Held every Sunday.

MONDAY MAY 5TH

DORCHESTER: U3A Monthly Meeting including an illustrated talk by Member Brian Bates on 'Dorchester remembers the great War'. Hobbies table to display Hat Pins. Refreshments available. Limited parking. All retired / semi-retired welcome. At Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Culliford Road. 10am-12noon. For more details call 01305 250347.

WEDNESDAY MAY 7TH - MONDAY MAY 26TH

LYME REGIS: Exhibition: 'Caught In A Light' at Courtyard Gallery, The Town Mill. Open daily 10.30am-5pm. Free admission. Visit www.townmillartsguild.com

WEDNESDAY MAY 7TH

DORCHESTER: 'Geneview' showing at the Evergreens Cinema at Age UK Dorchester. Lights will dim at 1.45pm, tea and biscuits £1.50, served during the film, ice creams also available. For more detail call 01305 269444.

THURSDAY MAY 8TH

WEYMOUTH: A talk by Jan Wilment on 'Container Growing' organised by Broadway Upwey & District Horticultural Society. At St. Nicholas Primary School, Dorchester Road, Broadway, starting at 7.30pm. For more details call 01305 814887

DORCHESTER: The Thursday Group meeting in St. George's Church Hall, Fordington at 2.15 pm. Talk by Adrian Downton 'My Life In Films' £1 admission includes tea and biscuits. Everyone welcome. For more details call 01305 259755.

FRIDAY MAY 9TH

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Photographic Club meeting. Viewing and judging of the following competitions: Dave King Cup and Lyme 1200 Trophy, followed by end of season awards. At Woodmead Halls from 7.30-10pm. For more details call 01297 444733 or visit www.lymebayphotographicclub.org

BRIDPORT: The Richard Ely Trust for Young Musicians present a concert featuring leading Blues Duo Duo Zoe Schwartz (vocals) and Rob Koral (guitar). At St Swithun's Church, Allington. Four musicians from the Trust will make their own contribution, demonstrating how talented our young musicians are. Tickets for this concert are £6 and available at Bridport Music in South Street or at the door.

SATURDAY MAY 10TH

UPLYME: Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing at the village hall, 8-10.30pm. £4.50 per person in aid

'Free Time exhibition
into last two weeks

THE current exhibition at Dorset County Museum, Free Time, has just two weeks left to run. This brand new exhibition shows the results of a project studying the changing nature of our leisure time over the last 60 years.

The project has captured the memories and stories of local people talking about hobbies and past times which are largely out of fashion today. The archive will be housed at the Dorset History Centre in Dorchester when the exhibition closes for future generations to study.

See the games, toys and activities enjoyed by people over the past 60 years. These include dolls, railway sets, comics and board games plus toys such as hula hoops, space hoppers and skateboards. With a variety of displays, and showcases, there is plenty to see and a lot to learn. Visitors can also listen to audio recordings of people talking about their hobbies and favourite free-time activities. Two screens show how people enjoyed their leisure time from the

1950s to the present day.

With rarely-seen photographs, plenty of activities for children and a reconstructed milk bar from the 1950s, there really is something for everyone.

The exhibition runs until Saturday 17 May. Dorset County Museum is open Monday to Saturday, 10am to 5pm.



▲ The Scalextric display at Dorset County Museum

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WEYMOUTH: Broadway and Upwey Horticultural Society Annual Plant Sale in the Memorial Hall, Victoria Avenue, Upwey, at 2pm. Admission is free and there will also be cakes, books and refreshments.

UPLYME: Plant Sale and Coffee Morning at Uplyme Village Hall, 9.30am-11.30am. Entry £1. Our ever popular spring plant sale will be offering a wide variety of plants, grown and donated by the Society's members and friends plus an array of miscellaneous gardening items all at affordable prices. Organised by Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society. Details 01297 444034 or www.ulrhs.wordpress.com

SUNDAY MAY 11TH

WEYMOUTH: Weekly Arts and Crafts event at Riviera Hotel, Bowleaze Cove, from 10am-3pm. Free entry to the public. Free parking available. Supporting RAF Wings Appeal. Held every Sunday.

MONDAY MAY 12TH

BRIDPORT: Biodanza at Othona. 7.15 for 7.30pm. Monthly drop-in class (2nd and 4th Monday each month). Cost £7 (Concessions available - just ask) Free for Biodanza newbies! For more details call 01308 897 130 or visit www.biodanza-bridport.co.uk

BEAMINSTER: Dorset Moviola presents 'The Butler' (cert 12A). At Beaminster Public Hall at 7.30pm. Doors 7pm. Tickets £5 in advance or £5.50 on the door. To book call 01308 861378 or email carol.dixon@btinternet.com

WEYMOUTH: Martin Young from Nectar Plants returns to Radipole & Southill Horticultural Society to present two short illustrated talks on Hardy Geraniums and Climbers - with a refreshment break between each talk. Members and visitors welcome at Southill Community Centre, Radipole Lane. Doors open at 7pm for a 7.30 start and there will be plants for sale. Further details available from Julie & Peter on 01305 771533.

BRIDPORT: West Dorset Flower Club will have a floral demonstration by Julia Harrison entitled 'Joy of Nature' in the WI Hall, at 2.30 pm. Visitors £4 each.

DORCHESTER: The next meeting of the West Dorset Health Service Retirement Fellowship from 2.30pm in the Lecture Theatre, Dorset County Hospital, Dorchester when Christine Shaw will be giving a talk on her visit to Ethiopia.

THURSDAY MAY 15TH

CHIDEOCK: Bingo at the village hall. Eyes down 7.30pm.

DORCHESTER: Civil Service Retirement Fellowship Meeting at 10.15am in DYA County Headquarters Hall, Lubbecke Way. Talk 'Dorchester Remembers WW1' by Brian Bates. Membership is open to all retired civil and public servants, but other guests are very welcome. For more details call 01308 420775.

FRIDAY MAY 16TH

BROADMAYNE: Market and Plant Sale 2-3.30pm, at St Martin's Community Hall (Next to the Church). Cakes, Preserves, Raffle, Craft, Plants, Bric-a-brac, books, Jigsaws, Cards, Local Pork, Sausages and Eggs, Local Watercress, Plants from a local Nursery, plus all kinds of things to buy for your garden and a chance to sit and chat with a cup of tea or coffee. All proceeds to St Martin's Community Hall. For further information please contact Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

SATURDAY MAY 17TH

BRIDPORT: For their next concert, The New Elizabethan Singers will return to the great classics when they sing Haydn's 'Nelson' Mass and Mozart's 'Requiem', accompanied by a full orchestra and professional soloists. It will take place on May 17th in St Mary's Church, South St, starting at 7.30. Tickets (£12, under 16s free) will be available towards the end of April, from Bridport Music and Goadsby, both in South St.

SUNDAY MAY 18TH

WEYMOUTH: Weekly Arts and Crafts event at Riviera Hotel, Bowleaze Cove, from 10am-3pm. Free entry to the public. Free parking available. Supporting RAF Wings Appeal. Held every Sunday.

WEDNESDAY MAY 21ST

EYPE: West Dorset Decorative & Fine Arts Society illustrated talk 'Patrimony in the Art Market: Nazi Looted Art' by Ms Shauna Isaac. At Highlands End Leisure Centre, from 2.30pm. For more details call 01297 443615.

FRIDAY MAY 23RD - SUNDAY JUNE 1ST

LYME REGIS: Lyme Regis Art Society Annual Exhibition at the Malthouse Gallery, Town Mill. Daily 10.30am-5pm. Free admission.

SATURDAY MAY 24TH - SUNDAY JUNE 1ST

LYME REGIS: Lyme Regis Art Society will be holding the Annual Exhibition and Sale of members' work including affordable paintings, prints, cards and more at The Malthouse, Lyme Regis. Opening hours 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Contact Sheila on 01297 445464 for further information.

SUNDAY MAY 25TH

WEYMOUTH: Weekly Arts and Crafts event at Riviera Hotel, Bowleaze Cove, from 10am-3pm. Free entry to the public. Free parking available. Supporting RAF Wings Appeal. Held every Sunday.

Now Exhibiting

View 2 talks with artist **Christopher Winter** as part of a new feature highlighting exhibitions at Bridport's Arts Centre

HOW would you describe your work?

Concept Painting

Have you always had an interest in visual arts?

Yes, ever since I saw sunlight reflected on the English Channel. It's my first memory.

Who or what are you inspired and influenced by?

My sisters inspired me to paint when I was eight. That's when I decided to become an artist.

Do you have an artist you particularly admire dead or alive?

I like Mike Kelly (recently died). Living artists include Matthias Weischer and Gerhard Richter. From the cannon of dead artists I love Velazquez and Manet. I wish I could paint like them

What is your favourite colour and why?

Blue moving into green.

What challenges do you encounter when creating work and how do you deal with them?

Everyday is a challenge. You really have to wrestle a painting to the ground.

What are the main themes of this exhibition at Bridport Arts Centre?

Perception, Reality and Parallel Worlds.

Is there something you are currently working on, or are excited about starting that you can tell us about?

I'm very excited about being a curator and Director of KIK, a non-profit space in Berlin. KIK ONE was in February and we showed some amazing artist including "Assume Vivid Astro Focus", Römer + Römer and Thorsten Brinkmann. In the new exhibition called KIK TWO we have Jonathan Meese, Martin Eder, Zhivago Duncan and Thomas Eller amongst others. It's a real privilege and a lot of fun. www.kikik.net



What is the best piece of advice you've been given?

To live a creative life, we must lose our fear of being wrong.

Who gave you that advice?

I found it in a fortune cookie!

What advice would you give to others wanting to be artists?

Be creative as possible, try not to follow trends, don't listen to anyone's advice.

If you weren't an artist what do you think you would be doing instead?

I would be a Film Director

If you could live in any period of history anywhere in the world, what and where would it be?

In the future.

◆ **Christopher Winter: Telling Tales is currently on show in the Allsop Gallery, Bridport Arts Centre until Saturday, May 10th. Gallery opening hours Tuesday - Saturday 10.00 - 16.00. This will be Winter's first show in the UK for almost 10 years.**

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Fri-Mon¹⁷ 17.00, Tue-Thu: 20.00

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Rio 2 ⁹ Sat-Mon: 14.20

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Fri-Tue: 13.10, 16.15, 17.25, 19.20,

20.45

Wed & Thu: 13.10, 16.15, 17.25,

19.20

The Other Woman ^{12A}

Fri-Wed: 12.00, 14.40, 17.15, 19.50

Thu: 13.00, 15.40, 20.20

Transcendence ^{12A}

Fri: 14.30, 17.50, 20.35

Sat-Mon: 20.35

Tue, Wed: 13.15, 20.45, Thu: 15.20

Rio 2 ⁹

Fri, Tue, Wed: 16.00

Sat-Mon: 11.00, 11.55, 13.30,

16.00

The Love Punch ^{12A}

Fri: 12.00, 18.20, 20.35

Sat-Mon: 18.20

Tue: 12.00, 18.20

Wed & Thu: 12.00

Pompeii ^{12A}

Daily: 11.45, 13.30, 16.00, 18.30,

20.30

Plastic ¹⁵

Fri: 13.45, 16.15, 20.55

Sat-Thu: 16.15, 20.55

Captain America:

The Winter Soldier ^{12A}

Fri: 12.45, 17.15, 20.55

Sat-Tue: 13.15, 20.55

Wed & Thu: 13.15

Noah ^{12A}

Fri, Wed: 14.35, 20.50

Sat-Tue: 14.35, Thu: 20.50

Tarzan ^{PG}

Daily: 12.25, 14.00, 16.15, 18.30

plus Sat-Mon: 10.05am

Tinker Bell & The Pirate Fairy ^U

Sat, Mon: 10.00, 11.30am

Sun: 10.00am

Mr Peabody and Sherman ^U

Sat-Mon: 10.45am

Divergent ^{12A}

Daily: 14.20

Brick Mansions ¹⁵

Daily: 18.40

Sabotage ¹⁵

Wed & Thu: 18.25, 20.55

Bad Neighbours ¹⁵

Daily: 11.40, 14.00, 16.20, 17.40,

18.40, 20.00, 21.00

Monsters University ^U

Sat-Mon: 10.30am

This week's new cinema releases

NEIGHBOURS ¹⁵

A COUPLE with a newborn baby face unexpected difficulties after they are forced to live next to a fraternity house.

Comedy stars Seth Rogen, Rose Byrne, Zac Efron.

PLASTIC ¹⁵

SAM & Fordy run a credit card fraud scheme, but when they steal from the wrong man, they find themselves threatened by a sadistic gangster. They need to raise £5m and pull off a daring diamond heist to clear their debt.

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POMPEII ^{12A}

A SLAVE-TURNED-GLADIATOR finds himself in a race against time to save his true love, who has been betrothed to a corrupt Roman Senator. As Mount Vesuvius erupts, he must fight to save his beloved as Pompeii crumbles

around him.

Stars Kit Harington, Emily Browning and Kiefer Sutherland in this action epic.

BRICK MANSIONS ^{12A}

AN undercover Detroit cop navigates a dangerous neighborhood that's surrounded by a containment wall with the help of an ex-con in order to bring down a crime lord and his plot to devastate the entire city.

Stars Paul Walker, David Belle and RZA.

TARZAN ^{12A}

TARZAN and Jane Porter face a mercenary army dispatched by the evil CEO of Greystoke Energies, a man who took over the company from Tarzan's parents, after they died in a plane crash.

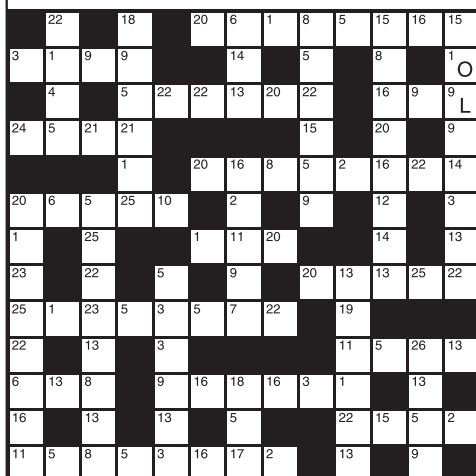
Stars Kellan Lutz, Robert Capron and Jaime Ray Newman.

Brain Gym

No.271

Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
B	H	X	S	Q	O	D	R	W	K	M	U	J
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Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

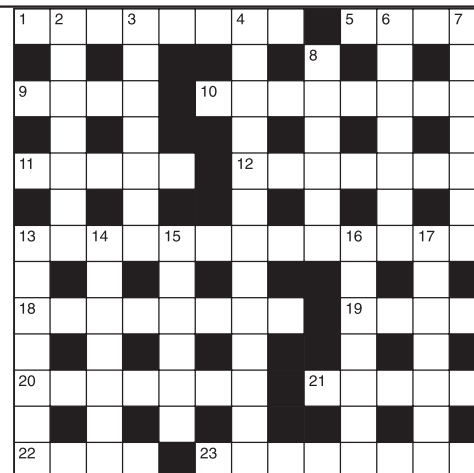
Cryptic Clues:

Across

- Justice characteristic of the Scandinavians (8)
- Very keen to do a turn as a singer (4)
- 50 amp. bulb? (4)
- Lend a car out as something for daily use (8)
- It's sung in pleasantly rich surroundings (5)
- Cow-catchers? (7)
- They figure a great deal in population surveys (13)
- Exit angrily, to destroy (5,3)
- He's on about being present (4)
- Noise or disturbance can be wearing (7)
- There's space to travel in it (5)
- Trifles - child's play really (4)
- Influence of a converted priest, for example (8)

Down

- He studies make-up (7)
- Create a fresh impression (7)
- Hot-looking athlete or climber (7-6)
- Huntress follows in a state (7)
- Stops and takes into custody (7)
- Decimal used in some tricky calculations (6)
- His guilt is a possibility (7)
- Perhaps to many a branch of medicine (7)
- Harm one thousand and two (6)
- People who do so get what's coming to them (7)
- Dealing with someone with a complaint (7)



Quick Clues:

Across

- Vigorous (8)
- Possesses (4)
- Boast (4)
- Sticky (8)
- Rash (5)
- Slumberer (7)
- Some time (6,2,5)
- Check (8)
- Depravity (4)
- Italian wine (7)
- Sag (5)
- Near (4)
- Replied (8)

Down

- Violent wind (7)
- Alleviate (7)
- Ill-health (13)
- Racing dog (7)
- Clipper (7)
- Disclose (6)
- Opponent of the Crusaders (7)
- Ejecting (7)
- Mission (6)
- Unfavourable (7)
- Envelop (7)

Sudoku

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Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

4	5	6	3	9	2	1	8	7
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LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS: CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Record; 4 Spread; 9 Debt-collector; 10 Calls up; 11 Aired; 12 Light; 14 Relay; 18 Cream; 19 Incense; 21 Cheerlessness; 22 Attest; 23 Beaten. Down: 1 Reduce; 2 Co-belligerent; 3 Races; 5 Prelate; 6 Entertainment; 7 Deride; 8 Slips; 13 Humerous; 15 Acacia; 16 Vices; 17 Reason; 20 Caste. QUICK - Across: 1 Modest; 4 Stable; 9 Miscellaneous; 10 Lingers; 11 Ether; 12 Sever; 14 Users; 18 Strip; 19 Deprive; 21 Entertainment; 22 Desert; 23 Chaste. Down: 1 Mumble; 2 Disintegrates; 3 Sieve; 5 Tenders; 6 Brotherliness; 7 Ensure; 8 Close; 13 Emperor; 15 Ascend; 16 Ideal; 17 Settle; 20 Pinch.



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The town has many fine examples of Georgian architecture as well as picturesque 17th century cottages and at its heart is a conservation area with listed buildings, a number of which are built of mellow limestone.

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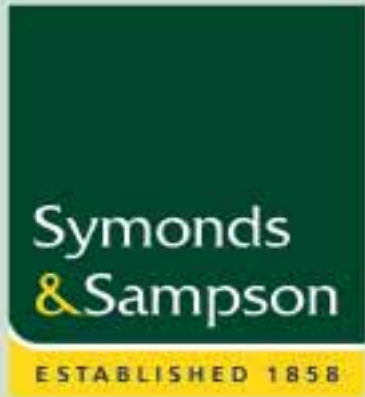
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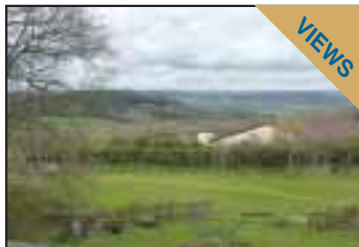
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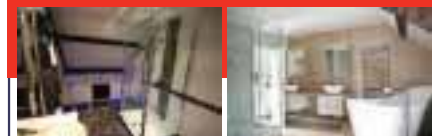
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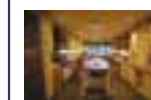
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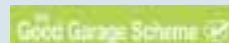


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All-New Mazda3 Joins Driving School Programme

LAUNCHED earlier this year, the all-new Mazda3 joins the popular Mazda2 on the Mazda Driving School Programme, running until 30th June, 2014. The expanded programme is aimed specifically at the thousands of qualified driving instructors across the UK who are self-employed or work for small driving schools.

Both the Mazda2 and all-new Mazda3 are available to driving instructors with a series of enticing new incentives.

The all-new Mazda3 went on sale in January and has already proved hugely popular with customers due to its stunning design, environmental and fuel efficiency benefits without compromising performance, and the manufacturer anticipates sales to further increase following its inclusion in the quarterly programme. Together with Mazda's fuel-sipping SKYACTIV technology, which also delivers outstanding crash safety performance - five star safety rating by Euro NCAP - driving in-

structors alike who opt for a Mazda will also benefit from these attributes.

The all-new Mazda3 is the manufacturer's latest model to feature pioneering, lightweight SKYACTIV technology offering fuel economy of up to 72.4mpg and emissions from only 104g/km for the 2.0-litre 150ps SKYACTIV-D.

Embracing both Hatchback and Fastback models, on-the-road (OTR) prices start at £16,695 for the all-new Mazda3 1.5-litre SKYACTIV-G 100ps SE Hatchback. The range also

includes petrol-engined 2.0-litre 120ps and 165ps models.

The Mazda2 is an established favourite among driving schools and via the programme all models except Colour Editions are available. OTR prices start at £11,195 for the 1.3-litre 75ps SE with air conditioning. The range also includes 1.3-litre 84ps and 1.5-litre 102ps auto models.

Mazda Head of Fleet Steve Tomlinson said: "The Mazda2 is in regular demand from driving

instructors. Nevertheless, it is also clear that some instructors want a larger car which delivers on safety, environmental and fuel efficiency benefits whilst also being used both to instruct pupils and as their 'main' family vehicle.

"That is why we have extended the programme to include our all-new Mazda3, which in its first four months on sale has been in huge demand from both retail and corporate customers."



▲ All-New Mazda3

▲ All-New Mazda3 Saloon

▲ Mazda2

SUMMER SIZZLERS

USED CARS

SUZUKI	Miles	Year	Reg	Price	SUZUKI	Miles	Year	Reg	Price
Suzuki S-cross 5Dr 1.6 SZ4 Silky Silver	0	2014	14	£15,495	Suzuki Swift SZ 5Dr HAT 1.2 SZ2 Black	11,806	2012	12	£8,495
Suzuki Swift 3Dr HAT Sport Silky Silver	500	2014	14	£11,995	Suzuki Swift SZ 3Dr HAT 1.2 SZ2 Sunlight Copper	100	2013	63	£7,995
Suzuki Swift SZ 5Dr HAT 1.2 SZ4 Silky Silver	1,700	2014	14	£10,995	Suzuki Splash 5Dr HAT 1.0 SZ3 Bright Red	500	2014	14	£7,995
Suzuki Swift 5Dr SZ3 DDIS Blue	10,232	2012	62	£9,995	Suzuki SX4 GLX 4GRIP Grey	47,736	2006	06	£6,995
Suzuki SX4 5Dr HAT 1.6 SZ3 Superior White	0	2014	14	£9,495	Suzuki Swift GLX 5Dr Auto Blue	16,816	2008	58	£6,995
Suzuki Swift SZ 3Dr HAT 1.2 SZ3 Silky Silver	300	2014	14	£9,495	Suzuki Alto 5Dr HAT 1.0 SZ3 Midnight Black	28,626	2012	61	£5,995
Suzuki Swift 1.2 Automatic 5Dr Sunlight Copper	10,000	2010	60	£8,995	Suzuki Alto SZ3 5Dr Hatchback Superior White	14,998	2013	13	£5,995
Suzuki Swift SZ 5Dr HAT 1.2 SZ3 Silky Silver	8,000	2013	63	£8,995	OTHER MAKES				
Suzuki Swift SZ 3Dr HAT 1.2 SZ3 Silky Silver	4,000	2013	63	£8,995	Ford Fiesta 1.4 Zetec 5dr Hatch Blue	6,000	2009	09	£7,995
Suzuki Swift SZ 5Dr HAT 1.2 SZ4 AU Galactic Grey	18,500	2011	02	£8,995	VW Golf Plus Luna TSI 5dr Hatchback Silver	49,682	2008	08	£6,495
Suzuki SX4 DDIS 1.6 5dr Dies Blue	17,272	2009	17	£8,495	Peugeot 107 Access 3dr Hatch Red	28,000	2012	12	£5,995
Suzuki Swift 1.2 Attitude 5Dr White/Black	13,000	2012	12	£8,495	Volkswagen Polo 1.4 Match 3dr Hatch Blue	34,193	2008	08	£5,995

Fun Becomes More Affordable – Subaru Cuts Price Of BRZ Sports Car

RENOWNED for its accessible driving thrills, the Subaru BRZ is now even more affordable thanks to a £2,500 reduction in its on-the-road price. From 1 May the BRZ range will start at just £23,995 (on-the-road) for the SE Lux model with manual transmission and £25,495 for automatic models.

Powered by a 2.0-litre horizontally-opposed Boxer petrol engine and boasting a low centre of gravity and rear-wheel drive for engaging driving thrills, the BRZ has been reduced in price to ensure clear differentiation from the all-new All-Wheel Drive WRX STI saloon, Subaru's flagship performance model.

The WRX STI arrives in showrooms during May, priced from £28,995 (OTR) – £4,000 less than the previous model.

The well-specced BRZ SE Lux is equipped as standard with Alcantara and leather trimmed seats and Torsen rear-axle differential which allows the keen driver to better exploit the sports car's fine handling characteristics.

Auto models feature steering wheel-mounted gear shift paddles.

The changes in prices are possible thanks to improvements in currency exchange, explains Paul Tunnicliffe, Managing Director of Subaru UK. "A more favourable exchange rate between the pound and yen has allowed us to reduce the price of a number of models in recent years, and our performance range – the BRZ and WRX STI – are the latest to benefit. Together, they represent outstanding value for enthusiast drivers seeking a high level of performance, driver interaction and entertainment on the road."

In the last twelve months Subaru UK has also reduced the price of the All-Wheel Drive XV compact crossover range, while the new Forester has seen its price unchanged over previous versions.

To find out more about the rear-wheel drive Subaru BRZ and the brand's All-Wheel Drive model line-up, visit www.subaru.co.uk.



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The New Volvo V60 Plug-In Hybrid R-Design: The Perfect Combination of Efficiency and Dynamics



THE super-efficient Volvo V60 Plug-in Hybrid - one of the best-selling hybrid-electrified vehicles in Europe in 2013 - is now also available in Volvo Cars' R-Design specification.

"We sold almost 8,000 plug-in hybrids in 2013. Adding the R-Design dynamic attributes to the V60 Plug-in Hybrid - the world's first diesel plug-in hybrid - will further broaden its appeal. The customer gets segment-topping performance combined with outstanding efficiency," says Alain Visser, Senior Vice President Marketing, Sales and Customer Service at Volvo Car Group.

The Volvo V60 D6 AWD R-Design Lux Nav is available from £51,675 (excl £5000 Plug-In Car Grant) on-the-road and can be ordered now, with expected deliveries from August 2014.

Unique exterior and interior

The V60 Plug-in Hybrid R-Design features a number of unique interior and exterior features that create a sporty presence. The exterior blends the Plug-in Hybrid identification with

the R-Design front bumper and grille, rear diffuser and 18-inch Ixion wheels.

Inside, the car comes with a full R-Design interior, featuring sports seats as standard with a blend of black nubuck textile and perforated leather. Amongst the other unique R-Design features, it also includes sports pedals, sports floor mats and charcoal headlining. The car retains the special plug-in hybrid instrumentation and information.

Also fitted as standard on all PHEVs is Volvo's telematic system, Volvo On Call. This system allows users to use a free mobile app to access a number of functions and keeps the driver in constant contact with the vehicle, no matter where he/she is.

Ingenuous power blend

The front wheels of the V60 Plug-in Hybrid are powered by a five-cylinder 2.4-litre turbodiesel producing 215 hp and 440 Nm of torque. The car has a six-speed automatic transmission.

The rear axle is powered by an electric motor producing 70 horsepower and 200 Nm of torque. It is supplied with power from an 11.2 kWh lithium-ion battery pack installed under the floor of the load compartment.

Pure Hybrid Power

The driver selects the required driving mode via three buttons that give the car three entirely different temperaments: Pure, Hybrid or Power.

In the default hybrid mode, the carbon dioxide emissions are down to just 48g/km. This corresponds to fuel consumption of 155.2 mpg (NEDC certification driving cycle for hybrids).

What is more, at the touch of a button the driver can choose to cover up to 31 miles on pure electric power - or utilise the combined capacity of the diesel engine and electric motor to create a veritable driving machine that offers 215+70 horsepower and 440+200 Nm of torque.



▲ Volvo V60 R-Design D6 AWD Plug-In Hybrid (MY15 onwards)

SUMMER SIZZLERS USED CARS AT LANEHOUSE

VAUXHALL AGILA	Miles	Year	Reg	Price		Miles	Year	Reg	Price
Agila 5Dr 1.2i 16V VVT SE A/C Ecoflex Blaze Red	50	2013	63	£9,995	Astra 5Dr 1.4i 140ps TBO Limited Edition Carbon Flash	0	2014	14	£14,995
Agila 5Dr 1.2i 16v VVT S A/C Ecoflex Cobalt Blue	0	2014	14	£9,995	Astra 1.6 16v SE 5dr Sovereign Silver	908	2013	63	£13,995
Agila 5Dr 1.2i 16V VVT SE A/C AU Blue	40,254	2011	11	£6,995	Astra 5Dr 1.4i VVT 100ps Energy Carbon Black	2,164	2013	63	£13,995
Agila 5Dr 1.0i 12v Club A/C Steel Silver	19,528	2010	60	£5,995	Astra 5Dr 1.4i VVT 100ps Energy Olympic White	1,789	2013	13	£11,995
VAUXHALL ADAM					Astra 5Dr 1.3CDTI 95ps Exclusiv Ecoflex Carbon Flash	28,514	2011	61	£10,995
Adam HAT 1.4 87ps Slam Chilli Orange	0	2014	14	£12,995	Astra 5Dr 1.3CDTI 95ps Exclusiv Ecoflex Silver Lake	29,000	2011	61	£10,495
VAUXHALL CORSA					Astra 5Dr 1.6i VVT Elite AU Blue	30,821	2011	11	£9,995
Corsa 3Dr HAT 1.6 Turbo 192ps VXR Arden Blue	500	2014	14	£15,995	Astra 5Dr 1.6i VVT Exclusiv Technical Grey	18,279	2010	60	£8,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.2i VVT Limited Edtn A/C Asteroid	50	2013	63	£11,995	Astra 5dr 1.6 Exclusive 115 PS Panacotta	31,468	2010	10	£8,995
Corsa 3Dr HAT 1.4 SRI A/C White	7,815	2013	13	£10,995	Astra 5Dr 1.6i VVT Exclusiv AU Technical Grey	27,519	2011	11	£8,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.4i VVT Excite A/C Asteroid Grey	0	2014	14	£10,995	Astra 5dr 1.8 SRI Black	55,769	2007	57	£5,495
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.4 SXI A/C Black	14,053	2013	13	£9,995	Astra Club 1.8 Estate Auto Blue	80,709	2005	05	£3,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.2 SXI A/C Silver	9,000	2013	13	£9,995	VAUXHALL MERIVA				
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.2i VVT Energy A/C Glacier White	4,804	2013	13	£9,995	Meriva 1.3CDTI 16v Exclusive Eco (SOR) Pepper Dust	11,286	2012	62	£11,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.3CDTI 75 SE A/C Ecoflex Pepper Dust	21,098	2011	61	£9,495	Meriva 1.4i 16v Turbo Silver Lake	12,260	2013	13	£11,995
Corsa 1.2 Rd ed 3dr Hatch White	18,601	2011	61	£8,995	Meriva SE 1.7 CDTI MPV Pepper Dust	28,229	2011	61	£9,995
Corsa 3Dr HAT 1.2 Sting Lime Green	0	2014	14	£8,995	Meriva 5Dr 1.4i VVT Turbo 140ps SE A/C Pepper Dust	6,102	2011	11	£9,495
Corsa 3Dr HAT 1.0 Sting Ecoflex Flame Red	0	2014	14	£7,995	Meriva 5Dr 1.7CDTI 110ps SE A/C AU Oriental Blue	14,794	2011	60	£8,995
Corsa 5dr 1.2 Excite A/C Technical Grey	18,040	2011	11	£7,995	Meriva 5Dr 1.7CDTI 16v 130ps SE A/C Technical Grey	57,092	2011	61	£7,995
Corsa 1.2 SXI 3dr Hatch Blue	40,643	2008	58	£6,495	Meriva 1.4 16v SE 5dr MPV Black Sapphire	41,233	2011	60	£7,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.4 Exclusiv A/C Silver Lake	53,000	2010	60	£6,495	VAUXHALL INSIGNIA				
Corsa 1.3CDTI Breeze A/C Flame Red	44,508	2008	08	£6,495	Insignia HAT 2.0CDTI 140 Ldled eFX NEW Olympic White	1,000	2014	14	£19,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.2 SXI A/C Black	18,936	2009	59	£6,495	Insignia HAT 2.0CDTI 163 Techline eFX NW Carbon Flash	3,982	2013	63	£16,995
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.4 SXI A/C Black	34,347	2010	10	£6,495	VAUXHALL MOKKA				
Corsa 5Dr HAT 1.4 Design Silver	54,499	2010	09	£5,995	Mokka HAT 5Dr 1.7 Cdti 130ps Xcelsiv S/S Boracay Blue	0	2014	14	£17,995
Corsa 1.2 16v 3dr Hatch Silver Lightning	35,484	2009	09	£5,995	Mokka HAT 5Dr 1.4 140 TBO Xcelsiv 4X4 S/S Silver	7,964	2012	62	£16,995
Corsa 5dr 1.2 Life A/C Sunny Melon	37,733	2008	08	£5,495	VAUXHALL ZAFIRA				
Corsa 1.2 16v Club 3dr Hatch Black	19,282	2007	07	£5,495	Zafira Tourer 1.6 Cdti 136 SE eFX S/S Deep Sky	0	2014	14	£21,995
VAUXHALL ASTRA					Zafira 5Dr 1.8i 16v 120ps Exclusiv Asteroid Grey	0	2014	14	£10,995
Astra GTC CPE 2.0CDTI 165ps SRI S/S Power Red	50	2014	14	£18,995	Zafira 1.6 Exclusive MPV Technical Grey	11,237	2012	12	£9,995
Astra GTC CPE 2.0CDTI 165ps SRI S/S White	4,545	2013	13	£16,995	VAUXHALL ANTARA				
Astra 5Dr 2.0CDTI 165ps SRI Ecoflex S/S Carbon Flash	909	2013	63	£16,995	Antara 5Dr 2.2CDTI 16v Exclusiv FWD S/S Carbon Black	11,572	2013	13	£14,995
Astra Sptlr 2.0CDTI 165ps SRI S/S Carbon Flash	930	2013	13	£15,995	VAUXHALL COMBO				
Astra 5dr Hatch SRI 2.0 CDTI 16V 165PS Ecoflex Red	6,092	2013	63	£15,995	Combo Crew VN Glzd L1h1 2300 1.6CDTI S/S Polar White	0	2014	14	£14,495
Astra Tech Line 1.7CDTI 16v 5dr Sp Tourer Black	7,740	2013	13	£15,995	Combo 1.7 TD White	17,073	2010	60	£10,200
Astra 5Dr 1.7CDTI 130ps SRI Ecoflex St/sp Sovereign Silver	604	2013	63	£15,995					

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The Lexus Spindle Grille: The Evolution of a Design Hallmark

THERE is no underestimating the importance of a car's front grille; the "face" it helps create is a touchstone for public recognition and reaction. Since the reveal of its LF-Gh concept car in 2011 – the precursor to today's GS saloon – Lexus has forged a strong new identity with its spindle grille design, an element that's quickly become a key styling feature, synonymous with the brand.

Far from being a simple bolt-on solution to giving

ing a car a more individual look, it is an integral element in a sharper, edgier and more distinctive styling that is being applied to all new Lexus models, most recently witnessed in the new NX compact premium crossover.

Kiyotaka Ise, Head of Lexus, explains: "We were more into 'elegant' in the past. Now we're adding greater visual presence to that elegance. You should be able to identify a car as a Lexus immediately,

but, until recently, this aspect has been a little lacking. Now that's changing. Instant visual recognition, for example, is the reason behind our spindle grille.

"It may look aggressive at first glance, that's intentional, but it also conveys its boldness with sophistication and elegance. These sentiments reflect how Lexus is evolving."

Creating a strong identity is all part of building a strong brand and the brand-defining grille shape plays a key role in positioning Lexus as a modern, advanced premium manufacturer. The design's versatility also allows it to amplify the sportier character of Lexus's F Sport models.

In all its applications, from the new CT 200h hatchback to the RX SUV and LS limousine, the spindle grille provides an anchor point from which much of a car's visual impact is created, as in the lines of the bonnet, the arrangement of the headlamps and daytime running lights, the depth of the front bumper and the sculpting of the front wings. While the look is new, the basic principles are rooted in L-finesse, the design language Lexus has applied to all its cars since 2005.



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PERRY STREET LEAGUE

WITH HOWARD LARCOMBE

Beaminster manager off to Ilminster Town
Lyme Regis title hopes over after eight point deduction

RESULTS

Tuesday, April 22nd

PREMIER

COMBE RES 2 (D.Fry, S.McCaffrey)
SHEPTON BEAU 5 (K.Hastings 3, A.Sweet, P.Field), **ILMINSTER RES 2** (C.Page 2) **LYME REGIS 4** (J.Bond 2, R.Emmett 2)
DIVISION TWO
ILMINSTER COLTS 0 **CREWKERNE RANGERS 2** (J.Male, S.Harper), **WAYTOWN HNS 5** (J.Legg, J.Loveridge, L.Hansford, E.Stephenson, S.Lincoln) **CREWKERNE RES 1** (H.Langdon), **THORNCOMBE 3** (A.Clist, D.De Pasquale, OG) **CHARD UNITED 1** (B.Mear)

Wednesday - April 23rd
DIVISION ONE

PERRY STREET RES 8 (D.Collins 3, D.O'Connor 2, J.Chadwick, C.MacHattie, Billy Shehan) **BEAMINSTER RES 3** (R. Oldbury, R.Gall, D.Connolly).

PYMORE 0 **LYME REGIS RES 3** (G.Hitchcock, R.Evans, R.Turner).

DIVISION THREE

DRIMPTON 1 (C.Rowswell) **MILLWEY RISE RES 1** (G.Larcombe), **SHEPTON BEAU RES 3** (J.Brain, T.Bristor, OG) **LYME REGIS BANTAMS 1** (J.Maidment pen).

DIVISION FOUR

CHARD RANGERS RES 2 (M.Druce, K.Tobaiwa) **FAWAY UTD RES 1** (M.Murrell), **CREWK RANGERS RES 1** (K.Cabell) **COMBE B 4** (M.Usher 2, M.Stoodley, G.Cleal), **THORNCOMBE RES 3** (K.Smith 2, L.Male) **FORTON RES 1** (A.Mansell).

Thursday, April 24th

BILL BAILEY FINAL
BARRINGTON RES 2 (C.Lang 2) **HAWKCHURCH UTD 4** (O.Pearce, J.Larcombe, M.Herrod, A.Dymond).

PREMIER

SHEPTON BEAU 2 (B.Pitman, J.Spendlow) **MISTERTON 1** (S.Veale), **W & M CHINNOCK 3** (L.Williams, M.Cawley, D.White) **LYME REGIS 4** (R.Emmett, T. Edwards, R.Evans, M.Bailey pen).
DIVISION TWO
COMBE A 0 **WAYTOWN HOUNDS 1** (G.Goodall).

Friday, April 25th

TOMMY TABBERER FINAL
CHARD UTD 3 (R.Milsom 2, L.Hames) **THORNCOMBE 3** (L.Fisher 2 pens, S.Packer)
Thorncombe won 5-3 on pens

MIDWEEK ROUND-UP

LYME Regis came from behind at Ilminster Reserves on Tuesday to keep alive their hopes of snatching the Premier Division title from rivals Crewkerne Town.

Youngster Charlie Page marked his debut for the Blues' second string by putting them ahead. The lead lasted until four minutes into the second-half when doubles from Joe Bond and Richie Emmett, the second of which was a real Goal-of-the-Season contender as he waltzed past five defenders before smashing the ball into the roof of the net.

Page netted a late consolation for the hosts.

Waytown Hounds could yet sneak up to third spot in the Division Two table. Mark Hughes' side hit five for the first time at their Netherbury home this season as

lowly Crewkerne Reserves were hammered 5-1.

On Wednesday Lyme Regis Reserves moved to the top of the Division One table with a comfortable 3-0 win at Pymore. All the goals came in the first-half with player-manager Gerard Hitchcock netting the pick of the bunch.

Not such good news from Lyme Bantams who made the long trip to Shepton Beauchamp Reserves with a bare 11 and went down 3-1. The result puts a dent in the Seaside's third-string's Division Three title hopes but promotion is still looking good.

Thursday night brought further wins for both Lyme Regis and Waytown Hounds.

The Seaside's surged into a 4-0 half-time on the considerable Oxleaze slope against hosts West & Middle Chinnock. A Mark Bailey penalty, two crackers from Richie Emmett and Rhys Evans and Tim Edwards' 100th goal for the club appeared to have Lyme cruising home.

But the hosts had other ideas. And when a 40-yard free-kick from



SOMERSET BOUND: Matt Hughes who is leaving Beaminster to take on the Ilminster Town first team manager's job.

Dan White in the 88th minute beat Chris Higgs and found the top-corner the title contenders' nerves were jangling.

But time ran out and Lyme now 'just' needed to win their last six matches to lift the trophy.

Over at Slades Cross Garry Goodall's fourth goal of the campaign moved Waytown up to fourth in the Division Three table after a 1-0 win at Combe A.

Saturday, April 26th
PREMIER

MISTERTON 2 MILLWEY RISE 0

GOALS from Connor Fletcher and Ben Bristor moved Misterton up to fifth spot in the table and in turn edged Rise towards a possible return to Division One.

PERRY STREET 1 LYME REGIS 4

LYME Regis moved up to second spot in the Premier Division table after coming from behind to beat a reshuffled Perry Street line-up.

With this their last game of the season and a midtable finish guaranteed, the hosts switched their forward and back line around and went out in relaxed mood.

They almost took the lead in the second minute when Chris Higgs scuffed his attempted clearance and the ball was immediately fired goalwards where it struck the post.

With Lyme stuttering in the face of a fierce wind Street broke the deadlock in the 22nd minute when Dan Harvey latched on to a stray pass in the Seaside's back-

line before calmly rounding Higgs and rolling the ball into the empty net.

Despite the elements, and some understandable fatigue given their ludicrous end of season schedule, Lyme grabbed an equaliser two minutes before the interval when Joe Bond pounced onto a low cross and netted in the top corner with a fine left-footed shot on the turn.

Bond lobbed home the second on the hour before substitute Jack Durrant made the points safe with a rasping drive in the 85th minute.

Julien Simier, also summoned from the bench, made it 4-1 following good work from right-back Aaron Cleal.

◆ Hopes of the championship trophy returning to the Davey Fort were effectively ended on Monday with confirmation that Lyme are to be docked a whopping eight points for fielding an ineligible player, Richie Emmett, in last week's matches against Ilminster Reserves and W&M Chinnock.

Lyme Regis officials, who were unaware that Emmett was playing in a Saturday league for his University, have requested that the games be replayed with the chance of recouping six points.

But this request is at present denied as neither opponent is willing.

◆ Lyme Regis FC have put in place plans to move their first team to the Devon & Exeter League for the 2014-15 season.

Seaside's officers were due to meet with D&E League representatives tomorrow (Thursday) evening.

The club is hopeful of being entered in one of the league's top four Division's which would represent a step up to Senior standard football.

W & M CHINNOCK 1
CREWKERNE TOWN 3

CREWKERNE Town moved a step closer to the Premier Division title with a 3-1 victory in this local derby in their penultimate game of the season.

Jamie Spurdle fired Crewkerne ahead in the 43rd minute before the lead which was doubled seconds after the break by Brad Miles. Miles struck again to seal the win the 70th minute before Damian Hart grabbed a late consolation.

ILMINSTER RES 0 BEAMINSTER 2

OUTGOING Beaminster manager Matt Hughes saw his side bounce back from their Challenge cup final disappointment with a good three points at the Rec.

For Hughes, who has agreed to join Ilminster as their club manager overseeing the Blues' first team in the Somerset Premier Division, it was an interesting afternoon as his experienced his new 'home' for the first time.

Youngster Jonah Ayunga gave Beaminster a slender half-time lead before Josh Baker sealed the win after the turnaround.

DIVISION ONE

FAWAY UTD 3 UPLYME 3

UPLYME were consigned to relegation back to Division two despite battling back from 3-0 down to clinch a point at Eastlee Park. Goals from Laurence Gay (2) and



SPLASH: Pymore's Phil Ackerman celebrated a rare goal with his best Tom Daley impression into the River Brit!

Matt Reed had the hosts seemingly control at the interval with Uplyme also losing Graham White and Adrian Strawbridge with injuries inside the opening 25 minutes.

But a spirited fight back brought goals from Dave Lyon, Tom Gollop and James Beddows salvaged the draw.

(NB: View Sports understands Faway fielded an ineligible player in this match and that Uplyme have appealed to the PSDL committee).

LYME REGIS RES 1
SOUTH PETHERTON 2

A SWIRLING wind at the Davey Fort made for a disjointed match that produced few goal scoring opportunities.

The visitors grabbed the lead in the 28th minute when the Lyme defence misjudged a high ball and Jody Bovey, the division's top-scorer, netted with a sharp finish with referee Len Wilcock dismissing Lyme appeals for what they considered to be a clear hand ball in the build-up.

The lead was doubled 20 minutes from time and once again The Seaside's felt hard done by.

Keeper Will Meech was deceived by a cross from the left wing and Bovey then appeared to push over defender Rob Larcombe.

Then as the pair, both laying prone on the floor, challenged for the ball Bovey clearly hooked it over the line with his arm.

Linesman Ben Morgan alerted referee Wilcock to the offence but the man in the middle decided the goal would stand.

Ryan Turner then missed a golden chance for Lyme when he headed wide from close range.

But The Seaside's pulled one back in 83rd minute when Steve Bowker was penalised for a foul and Pete Peacock stepped up to send keeper Andy Moody the wrong way from the penalty spot.

Pethy linesman Martin Case was then dismissed by the referee for a verbal offence in protest about the penalty decision.

PYMORE 1 PERRY STREET RES 6

THE highlight of Pymore's last game of the season was a spectacular goal celebration by Phil Ackerman.

With the home side drawing positions out of a hat in true end-of-season style title-chasing Perry Street Reserves grabbed the initiative and the points with a ruthless display that should have yielded more than the half-dozen goals.

Street were 5-0 up when Ackerman bagged his first goal in more than two years.

He then proceeded to run the length of the St Mary's field before diving headlong into the adjacent river Brit where he was joined by three of his team mates!

Referee Kevin Luesley duly restarted the match and it was a full ten minutes before the sodden quartet reappeared.

Dan Collins (3), Jay Stewart (2) and Callum Machattie scored the Mothers' goals as Pymore slipped to their biggest home defeat for four years.

DIVISION THREE

LYME BANTAMS 4 DRIMPTON 1

LYME BANTAMS bounced back from a disappointing midweek defeat in fine style as they defeated top-of-the-table Drimpton at the Woodroffe School.

The visitors grabbed an early lead when a free-kick skidded through and bounced off Lyme keeper Mark Tozer's shins before being tapped-in by Jordan Watts.

But the Seaside's were level in the 11th minute when a Jim Maidment corner was headed back across goal by Shaun Stewart to the unmarked Robbie Prior who smashed the ball home from close in.

Lyme took the lead ten minutes before half-time when Maidment scored from a free-kick which was sliced into his own net by a Drimpton defender.

A two-goal cushion was established when Chris Simpson latched onto a ball over the top before poking home.

The scoring was rounded off five minutes into the second-half when Maidment expertly lobbed home from fully 40 yards.

The result means the Division Three title will now be won by either Drimpton or Lyme.

The Seaside's could hit top spot



ON TARGET: James Maidment was amongst the goals as Lyme Regis Bantams home in on promotion from Division Three.

with victory at Millwey Rise Reserves in their final league match of the season last night.

If this is achieved they will become champions if Drimpton fail to win at Hawkchurch in their final game of the season on May 3rd.

DIVISION FOUR

UPLYME RES 0 KINGSBURY Ep 5
UPLYME Reserves slumped to the foot of the table after defeat against high-flying Kingsbury Episcopi.

Nigel Jeffereys (2), Luke Monk, Adam Ordierno and Dan Neale scored for the visitors who look set for a top two finish and promotion in just their second season.

Saturday, April 26th
PREMIER
Misterton 2 Millwey Rise 0

Perry Street 1 Lyme Regis 4
W & M Chinnock 1 Crewkerne Town 3
Ilminster Res 0 Beaminster 2

DIVISION ONE

Farway Utd 3 Uplyme 3
Lyme Regis Res 1 South Petherton 2
Pymore 1 Perry Street Res 6

DIVISION TWO

Ilminster Colts 0 Luso-Chard 5
South Peth Res 1 Dowlish & Donyatt 4

DIVISION THREE

Chard Utd Res 3 Barrington Res 1
Lyme Bantams 4 Drimpton 1

DIVISION FOUR

Chard Rangers Res 4 Hinton 2
Crewk Rangers Res 2 Merriott Dyn 7

DIVISION FIVE

Forton Res 3 Misterton Res 1
Thorncombe Res 3 Farway Utd Res 2

DIVISION SIX

Uplyme Res 0 Kingsbury Ep 5

Monday, April 28th

DIVISION TWO

CHARMOUTH 2 THORNCOMBE 1, LUSO-CHARD 3
(I.Costa 2, J.Pinto) CHARD UTD 1, WAYTOWN

HOUNDS 7 (J.Loveridge 2, S.Masters 2, M.Read, L.Hansford, J.Legg) ILMINSTER COLTS

2 (P.Lewis, K.Timmon)

DIVISION FOUR

MISTERTON RES 0 COMBE B 2 (S.Chadwick 2, G.Cleal)

Tuesday, April 29th

PREMIER

Misterton v Beaminster
Shepton Beau v Lyme Regis

DIVISION ONE

Forton Rangers v Perry Street Res

DIVISION THREE

Millwey Rise Res v Lyme Bantams

DIVISION FOUR

Chard Rangers Res v Uplyme Res

DIVISION FIVE

Chard Rangers Res v Uplyme Res

DIVISION SIX

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION SEVEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION EIGHT

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION NINE

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION TEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION ELEVEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION TWELVE

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION THIRTEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION FOURTEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION FIFTEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION SIXTEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION SEVENTEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION EIGHTEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION NINETEEN

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION TWENTY

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION TWENTYONE

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

DIVISION TWENTYTWO

Uplyme v Lyme Regis Res

As they stand

Premier	Pld	+/	Pts
Crewkerne Town	19	46	47
Lyme Regis	15	34	36
Beaminster	17	20	34
Shepton Beau	19	33	33
Misterton	17	4	27
W & M Chinnock	18	4	26
Perry Street	20	3	24
Ilminster Res	19	-18	21
Millwey Rise	19	-10	19
Combe Res	17	-17	19
Winsham Utd (R)	20	-91	1

Division One	Pld	+/	Pts
South Petherton	17	35	39
Lyme Regis Res	16	30	38
Perry Street Res	15	42	35
Barrington	17	11	22
Forton Rangers	17	-5	22
Pymore	18	-11	22
Farway Utd	18	-17	20
Netherbury	18	-9	19
Uplyme	15	-19	9
Beaminster Res* (R)	17	-57	5

Division Two	Pld	+/	Pts
Chard Utd (P)	19	34	43
Luso-Chard*	19	45	41
Thorncombe	19	17	36
Waytown Hounds	18	22	33
Charmouth	17	15	32
Combe A	20	4	28
Crewkerne Rangers	18	0	26
Crewkerne Res	20	-30	21
Ilminster Town Colts	20	-34	19
Dowlish & Don (R)	19	-24	13
S.Petherton Res* (R)	19	-50	3

Division Three	Pld	+/	Pts
Drimpton (P)	17	19	36
Chard Utd Res	18	11	35
Lyme Bantams	17	19	34
Barrington Res	17	24	32
Hawkchurch Utd	17	20	29
Shepton Beau Res	18	2	26
Millwey Rise Res	16	4	25
Ilminster Town A	18	-28	16
Winsham Utd Res (R)	18	-41	11
Chard Rangers	18	-30	6

Division Four	Pld	+/	Pts
Merriott Dyn (P)	19	67	47
Kingsbury Episcopi	17	41	43
Forton Res	20	35	40
Thorncombe Res	17	23	36
Combe B*	18	21	31
Misterton Res*	17	-2	25
Crewk Rangers Res	18	-21	21
Chard Rangers Res	19	-45	12
Farway Utd Res	19	-56	10
Hinton St George*	18	-30	9
Uplyme Res*	17	-31	9

* = Pts deducted
(P/R etc assumes
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Lyme Regis
Darts League

League	Pld	Pts
Rousdon Club	22	42
Nags Head A	22	41
Rockpoint	22	29
Four Play	22	28
Royal Standard	21	25
Nags Z	22	23
Hunters Lodge	22	18
Janners	21	16
George B	22	12
Talbot Arms	21	11
Cobb Arms	22	10
Half an Octopus	21	5

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Bees nap-hand kills Hengrove's hopes

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HENGROVE Athletic came looking for a victory to prevent them from an immediate return to Division One.

But, although they battled hard, they could not prevent the Bees completing their home fixtures with a convincing win to send the fans away happy for the summer after a number of below par performances at St Mary's Field since the New Year.

Manager Trevor Senior stuck with the same eleven that started in the victory at Gillingham on Easter Monday, and they looked to be in for an easy time when they took an early lead through Matt Morley.

Dan Wise had already tested Grove keeper Mark Drinkwater who was forced to react quickly when his innocuous looking lob from way out wide on the right in the 4th minute suddenly got caught on the strong wind blowing in Bridport's favour.

Two minutes later Chris Clarke's throw from on the left was headed on by Tom Richardson to Morley whose looping back header dropped into the far side of the net.

However Hengrove were fighting for Premier status and equalised in the 12th minute when a good run from Wayne Pearce down the right saw him cut the ball back for Rhys Hickery to force home as Sam Filkins advanced.

Bridport started to adjust to playing with the elements and began to take control, and after Richardson headed over Wise's corner, good work by Chris Luke on the left gave Morley a chance on goal; his shot beating Drinkwater but hitting the side netting although referee Andrew Turner awarded a corner.

Then Morley and Wise played in Gary Bulman whose cross-cum-shot from wide on the right just cleared the far angle of the goalframe.

Morley's speed once again was proving a decisive weapon as Bridport looked to find the breakthrough and it arrived in the 37th minute. Shane Evans' measured ball out of

defence found the slightly built winger wide on the left just inside his own half who took off like a greyhound.

With the visiting defence stretched he outran Grove skipper Scott Lewis as he tried to cover before neatly sliding the ball under and across the advancing Drinkwater from an angle and inches inside the far post.

Having struggled to find the net, Bridport scored two more before the break to effectively seal the points and Hengrove's fate, although they were both unusual.

First Clarke took aim in the 40th minute from 35 yards and drilled a low speculative shot at goal. It looked innocuous enough but the unsighted Drinkwater let the ball slip through his legs for the softest of goals.

Then, after Pearce's neat approach work was wasted with a weak attempted chip from 18 yards straight at Filkins, Bridport were awarded a penalty on the stroke of half-time when the referee claimed Richardson was elbowed on the side of the head by Lewis, who was subsequently booked.

The spot-kick was delayed whilst the referee spoke to, and finally booked, a Hengrove official, believed to be the chairman stood in the crowd, who it is believed claimed it was one of Richardson's own team mates who was the offender.

Wise converted the penalty with aplomb to make it 4-1 in favour of the Bees. With the last kick of added time Luke almost added another with a fierce shot that Drinkwater turned away.

The second-half was dull by comparison with Bridport now playing against the wind.

They seemed content to sit on their lead whilst Hengrove huffed and puffed without causing Sam Filkins any concerns in goal.

The first shot of note came midway through the half when following good work by Bulman he fed Jamie Filkins

whose shot from the right angle of the penalty area smashed against the far post and rebounded into play like a bullet.

Hengrove did finally build up a head of steam soon after and Joe Brimble fired just wide of the post before Clarke had to clear substitute James Dunn's header off the line.

They finally got a goal a minute from time when Evans' defensive header dropped to Lewis Dunn who volleyed home, but two minutes into added time substitute Rhys Hayter set up Richardson for an easy headed goal from close in after a good run and cross down the right.

The game ended with referee Turner sending the Grove manager Nigel Brimble to the stands after previously warning him about his conduct – he would have been even more vexed after discovering that Bishop Sutton's win at Cadbury Heath confirmed they had been relegated.

Senior said: "We got a great start, but then we conceded a disappointing equaliser, but when Matt Morley got the second we pushed on and might have had more in the first half.

"The second-half was quite difficult against the wind but overall I was quite pleased, although I was also disappointed with their second goal, but we bounced back and got another.

"It was also nice to get a win at home for the fans in the last game."

Bees go out with a bang

HAMWORTH UNITED RESERVES 1
BRIDPORT RESERVES 6

BRIDPORT Reserves completed their Dorset Premier League season with a welcome 6-1 victory away at bottom side Hamworthy United Reserves on Monday evening.

Ben Clarke scored a hat-trick with Gary Bulman, Robin Jones and Simon Gale also on the scoresheet.

The Bees were unlucky two day earlier

not to have left the Bob Lucas Stadium without some thing, having taken a 2-0 interval lead through Michael Hialu on 33 minutes and Jack Scovell five minutes before the break.

However, Adam Ansty pulled one back two minutes into the second half, before Paul Ford equalised on 55 minutes.

It looked like Bridport had done enough for a point until Conor Jevons popped up a minute from the end to snatch the winner.

3rds safe after valuable win

STOURPAINE 0 BRIDPORT THIRDS 3

BRIDPORT 3rds look to have secured their Dorset Division One place for another year after this crucial win at Stourpaine, and although their host could catch them if they won their last three games, Bridport also have two matches left.

Once again the Bees spurned a number of good chances before first Matt Peart, with an outstanding save at the feet of the Stour striker, and James Pitcher with a brilliantly timed tackle both when through on goal saved their blushes.

Tom Fouracre finally gave them the lead with a curling free kick that evaded everyone and found the far corner.

Bridport appeared to be coasting the second-half but then Jamie McClements was red carded, Ashley Walkey coming on in a tactical change.

Stour created a couple of chances after this, but were then reduced to ten themselves when their keeper struck out at Chris Symes just outside the penalty area.

Walkey curled the resultant free-kick around the wall and the replacement keeper to double the Bees advantage.

Symes then scored his first goal of the season when he got round the back of the defence following Walkey's long throw to see Bridport safe.

Full backs Brandon Scadding and Luke Hayter were once again best for the Bees.

Bees seek new physio

BRIDPORT Football Club are looking for a new physio following Lloyd Green's resignation for personal reasons.

The hugely popular Green joined the Bees a year ago and has had a huge impact at the club not only on the field, but off it where he has been responsible for the improvement in the medical kit and facilities.

Manager Trevor Senior said: "Lloyd has been a massive plus for us, and I would like to thank him for all his hard work, but has sadly had to stand down. He was very professional and took a lot of pressure off of Kevin (Leigh) and I

"We are therefore looking for a physio, perhaps someone at college or someone with medical knowledge, to work at the club who is interested in getting involved in sport physiotherapy.

"I have my pitch side qualifications but I would rather be able to concentrate on the game and the tactics.

"It would obviously involve match days, but also ideally training, which is on Tuesdays and Thursdays."

Anyone interested should ring Trevor on 07771 903795.



◆ STANDING DOWN: Lloyd Green

Bridport Barracudas swimming

Promising start to new season

BRIDPORT Barracudas had a solid start to the new Jurassic League season with third place at the new venue of St Mary's in Shaftesbury last Saturday.

The pool atmosphere was buzzing with excited children from six clubs; Heron SC, Wincanton SC, Blandford SC and Ilminster SC, alongside the Barracudas and a guest squad from Tormedoes who replaced Durrington SC, who unfortunately have stepped down.

The gala started well for the Bridport team who after 11 events were second to Tormedoes.

The team moved between second and fourth, battling closely with Ilminster, with a number of swimmers gaining a couple of well-deserved first places and then a healthy number of second and third places, and with ten events prior to the penultimate race, the infamous Canon, the Barracudas were placed fourth, just behind Ilminster.

The Canon race comprises of a boy and girl in each age group, swimming front crawl as a relay team, ten in total.

The Barracuda team finish the race in third place, which was to be their final

position in the gala, behind winners Tormedoes and Heron.

The children from Barracudas swam well and it was lovely to see newcomers in the younger age groups participate and swim confidently.

This year is the tenth anniversary of the Jurassic League which was set up by the Bridport Barracudas Swimming Club in 2005, whose sponsor this year is David Taylor Property Services of Bridport

The next round is on the May 10th at Herons' pool at Yeovilton Airbase.

◆ GREAT START:

Members of the Barracudas Swimming Club who took part in the first round of the Jurassic League



Course record and England call-up for Keech

SOPHIE Keech received an England call-up for the Nation's Cup team following her victory in the Under 21's Faldo Series in which she broke the course record held by Solheim Cup stalwart Trish Johnson.

Keech dominated the tournament held at Pyle & Kenfig in Bridgend last week with a three round eight under par total of 214.

On the first day in windy conditions she hit the ball solidly from tee to green and with excellent putting with one eagle and four birdies broke the course record of Trish Johnson with a five under par round of 69 to lead the field by five.

The second day the weather was calmer and whilst it was not an assured round as the day before, she held her nerve to post a two under par 72 to extend the lead to seven.

A wet and windy third day saw her pick up two birdies in the first three holes but dropped shots at 10 and 11.

However her strength and determination and bright spirit enabled her to buckle down and grind out a result to birdie the 18th to shoot -1 to finish nine shots clear of Elizabeth Prior.

Keech who plays at Park-

stone has won the qualifying competitions for the fourth consecutive year now goes forward to the Faldo Grand Final held in The Greenbrier West Virginia, USA.

Her caddy Sue Edwards, the Dorset County Junior captain said: "Watching Sophie play was a real pleasure.

"Her enthusiasm for the game is obvious, and I am sure her bubbly, expressive personality helps her to enjoy every aspect of the

game which is reflected in her excellent score."

Returning home to Devon Keech received a letter confirming she has been selected to play in The England Nations Cup Team which starts on her 18th birthday at Fairhaven, alongside Lytham St Annes in Lancashire.

Looking forward to playing for her country she said: "I won't be partying that's for sure, playing golf which I love and an early night,"

◆ PACE SETTER: Sophie Keech receives his Faldo Series trophy from Paul Lewis, Captain of Pyle & Kenfig Golf Club.



Bridport skittles

CUP Fixtures for week beginning Monday, May 5th :
Mixed Pairs Final
(7.30pm start)

Tuesday, May 6th
West Dorset Cup: M Gudge & S Newman; S Beal & J Cake; M Poulley & R Poulley; N Pye & L Bowditch; R Lister & C Lister; M Hansford & M Horton; J Symes & N Paulley; A & K Way.

Portman - Semi-Finals
Wednesday, May 7th
LORD NELSON: Bulldogs (4) v Originals.
TIGER: Denhay Farm v Bangers (24).

Lock Hansford Cup Final
Wednesday, May 7th
KING CHARLES: U Know The Bokes v Castouts.

Mens Nomination Final
Thursday, May 8th
CLOCK: Shipfaced v Wanderers.

Cup Winners Cup Final
Thursday, May 8th
WOODMAN: Crazy Gang (10) v Lively Lads.

◆ Presentation Night takes place on Friday May 16th @ Freshwater. Tickets on sale from the Lord Nelson @ £4.

Bridport bowls

League titles decided

PAT Geary, Edna Cumberland, Sue Walsh, Francis Hewett & Annie Legg's Ramblers are the clubs Monday League Division One Champions with 41 points, with the Bright Sparks of Di Loving, Roy Gill, Keith Hicks, Arthur Stone & Martin Grier's doing well to take runners-up spot on 37pts.

Margaret Clapp, Maureen Hodder, Chris Cowdrey, Mike Fletcher & Paul Tibble's Drop Outs won the Division Two title with 31 points, beating Pamela George, Ruby and Bernard Winton, Mary Hansford & Brian Parker's Pam People who just edged out Clockheads on shot difference to claim the runners-up spot on 29 points.

Take That comprising Hewett, Clapp, Brian Galpin, Bill Payne & Chris Thorne certainly did by romping home as Morning League Division One champions, with 45 points, beating runners-up Hornets consisting of Cumberland, Millie Meech, Joan and Mel Griffiths & Brian Morgan's Hornets by seven points.

Thelma and Brian Pratt, Janet Bird, Janet Tattershall & Tibble's Cossacks won Division Two on 29 points after a season long battle with Mary Hansford, David Aylott, Bernard Waterman, Mike Long & Keith Peraux of Whojamflips who finished with 28.

Pat Cornick, Long, Galpin, Thorne & Brian Baker's Ecstasy of Gold took the Champion's Cup in the Evening League DivisionOne, beating Ken Enticott, Payne, Brian Rumble, Keith Gentry & Ivor Parker's Nightingales who had to be content with runners-up.

Relegated last year, Brenda Nicholson, Laura and Bob Taylor, Mike Smith & Paul Hallett's Tigers roared back to win Division Two with 38 points, with Ground Force comprising of Jenny Harding, Paul Siggs, Thelma and Brian Pratt & Heather Eastham claiming runners-up spot with 37 points.

Boxing club seek support

BRIDPORT Boxing Club are looking for new trainers to help at the club.

Head coach Alan Slaney said: "They don't have to necessarily be trained, although it would help, but I will train anyone interested to get the required qualifications."

"We are looking for people who can help at least a couple of hours a week at training which is on Tuesday and Thursday between 7pm and 9pm, and Sunday mornings 10.30am - 12.30pm."

We are also looking for anyone who might like to become a judge, referee or timekeeper, or indeed become a committee member. Again they will be trained up to the necessary standard."

Young boxers, boys or girls, are also encouraged to join, although they must be a minimum of ten years old.

Anyone interested should contact Alan Slaney on 10308 425108 or drop in at the Boxing Club in Gundry Lane during training.

This year's annual fight night will be Saturday November 29th.

Bridport RFC

View From essential part of Blues rugby tour!

BRIDPORT Rugby Club set off for their tour of Shanklin on the Isle of Wight last Friday complete with a latest copy of The View From Bridport newspaper

Dressed in "casual" clothes perhaps more suited for a tour of the Caribbean, they were able to relax after a hard season and enjoy both the game against their hosts and their hospitality.

For the records Shanklin won the match 37-27, the game divided between the total dominance of the Bridport scrum which pushed Shanklin all over the field, and the youthful Shanklin three's that took advantage of the tourists late night drinking that left them a bit short of cover.

Bridport led 10-0 after ten minutes but then fell away as the Islanders youth took over.

The Blues scored three tries through Micky Pibworth (2) and Jamie Livingstone with Rory Greening kicking some points.

Returning after a long injury, Jason Kidd at fly half showed his class, making several breaks and tactically kicking well, but also showing his age with his choice of 50s style shorts that he had to eventually change as he was tripping himself up over their length and width.

The team were a mix of youth, experience and just old age, that performed well together on the pitch and socially.

Despite losing the game, Bridport made a strong comeback in the evening, outpacing the home team in the bar and totally out drinking them!



◆ ISLAND INVADERS: The Bridport Rugby Club squad which headed off on tour of the Isle of Wight.

Dorset Cricket League preview

WITH STUART BROOM

Play! Local cricketers ready to take guard

FOLLOWING a shake-up in the make-up of the Dorset Funeral Plan cricket leagues which starts this weekend, only Weymouth hang on to their premier league status; and then only by default following the demise of Winton which saw the Seaside reinstated in the top echelon.

However whilst Weymouth will not encounter any local derbies this season in Premier League 1, other teams have benefitted from the new arrangement.

MARTINSTOWN who are striding up the leagues find themselves pitted against Dorchester in Premier League 2, whilst there is a plethora of derbies in County Division Two with five local sides locking horns.

BEAMINSTER who will play in County Division Two, have taken a different approach to team selection and management of their two teams this season by appointing managers, with Ross Baker and Ade Phillips responsible for team selection and the naming of a captain on the day.

Baker, a former club captain and first team stalwart said: "The object is to try and share the work among ourselves and try to avoid the problems of last season where we found ourselves short of players; particularly away from home; for a variety of reasons."

"We need to get a core of seven or eight reliable players for both the sides to begin with. We appreciate that some can't travel to away matches for a variety of reasons such as work obligations, but we need to ensure that we travel with a full side."

"Should some decline to travel they face the possibility of not being selected for the following game as it is not fair on those that have committed themselves."

"However with a number of local derbies this season, we hope that won't be such a problem." Nets have been quite positive and they will have the services of Kevin Reed, a pacey all rounder who is returning to cricket, and Sri Lankan Indika Nanayakkara, a wily spinner who played Sunday cricket with Broadwindsor last season.

Baker added: "Both will be an asset to the club and things look positive."

The 2nd XI will play in County Division Six hoping for better luck than last year.

Opening fixtures: 1st XI: May 3rd Sherborne (a); May 10th Shroton (h). 2nd XI: May 3rd Wimborne & Colehill 4th (a); May 10th Cranborne 2nd (h)

BRIDPORT will be competing in County Division 3 will be much the same this year, although they have lost Billy Browning to Cattistock which will give captain Mark Smith a headache looking for a replacement, and Toby Hall who has to work on Saturday's.

However, Sam Challis is back and Mark Lewis has now recovered from a back injury and made himself available when needed.

Smith said: "It won't be easy with just one team and therefore a small squad, but I have had a positive response from the lads this week now the season is upon us, and we are looking forward to testing ourselves."

Opening fixtures: 1st XI: May 3rd Christchurch 2nd (h); May 10th Kingston Lacy (a) SYMENE will be much the same this year having been relegated from the Sunday league Division Three last season.

However, club stalwart Colin Willcox believes their prospects of promotion may not be good due to the rearrangement of the leagues following some withdrawals, he said: "Shillingstone and Ferndown Wayfarers were in

Division One sides who have been allowed to re-enter in Division Four, which suggests they may be strong.

"Blandford Nomads and Henstridge are also very strong sides so we will have to wait and see."

Opening fixtures: 1st XI: May 3rd Christchurch 2nd (h); May 10th Kingston Lacy (a) BROADWINDSOR look to defend their Readers Mid-Wessex League Division One title with much the same team as last year however they will be without Louis Kraukamp.

The South African has left to set up a club in Ilminster to compete against his former teammates.

Captain Adie Phillips who will be busy this summer, spending his time between groundsmen and skipping Broadwindsor on Sunday, and joint team manager at Beaminster with Ross Baker on Saturday, said: "Everything looks fine for the season ahead. We are making progress with finishing the clubhouse and the wicket looks in good nick ahead of Saturday's opener at home to Bruton."

Opening fixtures: 1st XI: May 4th Broadstone 2nd (h); May 11th Portland RT 2nd (a).

Lyme Regis Golf

WITH RICHARD JACKMAN

Watson on form

MATT Watson continued his impressive run of form this year by winning the Junior Easter Cup with a net 68, just ahead of his doubles partner Cameron Moss-69, who just shaded Lewis Gibbons into 3rd place on countback

In the men's April Stableford the tough weather conditions were reflected in the scores as Chris Brice had the best score of the day with 33 points to win division One, followed by Roger

Turner then Malcolm Wilson both with 32 points.

Steve Piper secured 1st place in Division Two with 31 points and Bob Shepherd continued his podium appearances with 29 and Mark Lewis in 3rd on 28.

Lyme Regis and Sherborne are getting to know each other very well on the golf course playing each other twice last week.

In the Carpet Barn, Sherborne made home advantage tell, but in the Knighton Heath Knock-Out Lyme also used home advantage

well to progress to the next round.

With a seniors' match and Hardy B cup game this week the local rivalry will continue.

The ladies played for the Andrew Black four-Ball Better-Ball Trophy and amid keen competition Caroline Baker and Emma Davies won with 40 points from Jane Dixon and Rosie Jackman 39 points. Kathy Briggs and Geraldine Wickes 38 points just beat Jenny Scott and Rosemary Dare on countback.

Win double for Lyme Regis bowlers

THE Club played three friendlies this week, one of which had to be shortened due to 'April showers' not playing ball! WRITES PAUL MOFFITT

Lyme managed to win two of the three, one a really good win against Queen Camel on their green.

Budleigh Salterton were the unlucky team travelling to Lyme, only to be rained on.

This coming week the men's championship side and the ladies will be involved in their first league games of the season.

The men have just won promotion back to the championship after a season in Division One. They will need to make the most of their games against the weaker teams as the top two or three are very potent and present very stern opposition. The ladies similarly need to make the most of

their good fortune last year and try to secure a permanent place in Division One.

LYME 51; BUDLEIGH SALTERTON 24 - B Smith, A Rattenbury, N Benson, A Weech 20-1; S Dowling, S Wood, N Solomon, Chas Barber 10-4; B Downes, J Hare, A Nabarro, Chris Barber 7-8; A Foster, M Bartlett, P Weech, D Wood 8-6; Y Moody, C Bell, H Dowling, P Moffitt 6-5. Lyme 61; Chard 64. J Kesterton, P Stephens, E Skeemer 11-11; G Broom, G Clode, N Stephens 20-19; A Rattenbury, S Rowe, R Cridge 13-19; J Varnish, L Broom, A Preece 17-15.

LYME 115; QUEEN CAMEL 73 - H Dowling, B Parsons, A Preece, N Stephens 25-12; P Stephens, J Perry, J Moffitt, Chas Barber 38-4; C Clissold, A Rattenbury, D Wood, Chris Barber 7-22; S Wood, R Cridge, J Moseley, K Clissold 20-23; B Smith, C Bell, J Parsons, P Moffitt 25-12.

Football tables

Skill South (bottom)	Pld	GD	Pts
Basingstoke (14th)	42	-1	50
Bishop's Cleeve	42	-5	52
Farnborough	42	-16	50
Chelmsford City	42	-20	49
Maidenhead Utd	42	-14	46
Whitehawk	42	-15	46
Hayes & Yeading (R)	42	-7	45
Tonbridge Angels (R)	42	-34	40
DORCHESTER (R)	42	-61	31

Calor Premier (top)	Pld	GD	Pts
Hemel Hempstead Town	44	90	102
Chesham United	44	55	92
Cambridge City	44	46	88
St Albans City	44	40	85
Stourbridge	44	60	84
Hungerford	44	38	84
Pool Town	44	34	82
Bideford	44	11	67
Biggleswade Town	44	24	64
Redditch	44	-17	63
Corby Town	44	-3	60
WEYMOUTH	44	-11	60
Hitchin Town	44	11	59
Frome Town	44	-11	57
Arlesley Town	44	-11	55

Toolstation Premier	Pld	GD	Pts
Larkhall Athletic	37	77	98
Bristol Manor Farm	40	72	86
Gillingham Town	37	40	73
Street	40	10	68
Odd Down	37	27	65
Bitton	39	19	62
Melksham Town	38	7	62
Willand Rovers	39	7	60
Sherborne Town	39	6	59
Buckland Athletic	37	23	55
Brislington	37	0	53
BRIDPORT	39	-2	53
Cadbury Heath	39	-2	50
Longwell Green	40	-17	47
Hallen	38	-16	44
Slimbridge	38	-15	43
Winterbourne Utd*	40	-27	42
Ilfracombe Town	37	-45	30
Bishop Sutton	39	-49	29
Radstock Town*	38	-58	28
Hengrove Athletic	38	-57	22

Dorset Premier	Pld	GD	Pts
WEYMOUTH RES.	32	38	64
PORTLAND UNITED	29	54	62
Merley Cobham	39	39	59
Hamworthy Res	29	57	55
Mere Town	31	20	49
Wareham Rangers	31	10	47
Swanage & Herston*	31	1	44
BRIDPORT RES.	32	12	43
Sherborne Town Res	30	-9	37
Parley Sports	31	-18	37
Holt United	32	-18	37
Shaftesbury Town*	20	-20	37
Blandford United	31	-23	37
Tintinhull	29	-4	36
Cranborne	30	-40	31
Pool Town	38	-48	24
Hamworthy Utd Res*	30	-58	15

Senior League	Pld	GD	Pts
Westland Sports	24	60	63
St Leon Marshall	24	36	52
Chickerell Utd	19	17	47
Corfe Mullen Utd	23	21	40
Upwey & Broadway	21	21	39
Gillingham Res	23	11	38
Portland Utd Res	22	14	32
Witchampton Utd	21	-3	29
South Cherton	20	-29	29
Blandford Utd Res	24	-13	26
Piddlehinton Utd	26	-24	25
Sturm Newton Utd	21	-3	17
Kingston Lacy	24	-60	12
Okeford Utd	23	-57	7

Dorset Division 1	Pld	GD	Pts
Balti House	23	33	58
Dorchester Sports	23	26	45
Kangaroos	22	23	40
Wincanton Town Res	19	24	39
Weymouth Spartans	23	0	39
Poolebury Rovers	24	14	36
Milborne Sports	20	25	35
Pool Town	19	0	35
AFC Cobham	24	-26	25
Swanage & Herst Res	20	-21	17
Bridport 3rds	22	-26	16
Bere Regis	24	-42	16
Stourpaine*	21	-29	9

Dorset Division 2	Pld	GD	Pts
Lytchett RT	21	76	58
Portesham Utd	22	9	44
Parley Sports Res	24	24	42
Shaftesbury Town Res	20	24	42
Redlands FC	22	9	37
Portland Town	24	19	36
Corfe Castle	24	33	35
Chickerell Utd Res	23	0	35
Wyke Regis SC	21	-2	30
Wareham Rangers Res	21	-7	24
Gillingham Town A*	23	-25	19
Piddlehinton Utd	26	-34	18
Ship Inn, Wool	25	-46	18
Sturm Newton Res	22	-58	14

Dorset Division 3	Pld	GD	Pts
AFC Blandford	18	29	46
Broadstone	20	52	41
Stickland Utd*	20	40	37
Mere Town Res	20	30	35
Henstridge Utd	19	8	34
Salisbury	20	-17	26
Handley Sports	18	-8	22
Maiden Newton & C	17	5	21
Portland Town Res	20	-44	16
Port Marshall Res	20	-36	14
Donhead Utd	20	-59	6

Dorset Division 4	Pld	GD	Pts
Milborne Sports Res	21	31	48
Puddletown	19	38	46
Weymouth Spart Res	20	8	35
AFC Cobham Res	19	11	33
Owermoigne	21	6	31
Portland Town A	22	-18	29
UFC Poundbury	21	-8	27
Pirbright SS	22	1	25
Corfe Mullen Utd Res	22	-21	22
Kangaroos Res	21	-24	20
South Cherton Res	20	-12	17
Cranborne Res*	22	-12	16

Dorset Division 5	Pld	GD	Pts
Portland Utd Youth	17	33	39
Broadstone Res	17	29	39
Lytchett RT Youth	17	45	34
Corfe Castle Res	17	0	25
Handley Sports Res	17	9	23
Marnhill	17	10	20
Portland Town B	18	-36	20
Wool & Winfrith	18	-13	18
Piddlehinton Res*	16	-42	11
Okeford Utd Res*	17	-35	8

Hansford gets GB call for Oz

LYME Regis schoolgirl Mollie Hansford has been selected to represent the Great Britain Terathlon Team to compete in Perth Western Australia this July.

This achievement comes after eight years of competing for her pony club, Cotley, in this demanding multi discipline event (pistol shooting, swimming, cross country running and riding).

The 17-year-old's selection follows a year of excellent results and an intense training week where athletes were put through their paces in all phases, and faced interviews from the selection panel.

Hansford is the youngest competitor selected and is thrilled to be given this wonderful opportunity.

The next few months are very busy with revision for AS level exams at The Woodroffe School and a hectic daily training schedule as well as fund raising for the trip.

■ AUSTRALIA HERE WE COME: Mollie Hansford who has been selected for the GB Terathlon team Photo: Courtesy suspended-animation.co.uk.



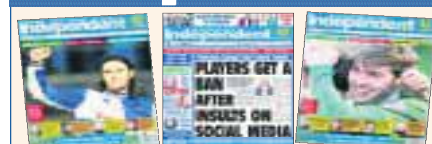


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Senior looking for committed young players

THIS year has been a difficult one for Bridport Thirds who look to have finally avoided relegation following their 3-0 win at Stourpaine last Saturday.

Under the management of Andy Hitchcock and Phil Morris they have had to cope with the vagaries of being the minor team at the club whereby they were often left with very few players.

Manager Trevor Senior is concerned that this is not allowing good young players to come through the ranks to the first team and is appealing to any young, committed players to sign up, whilst also looking for people who would like to become involved helping with the team in a management capacity, or indeed helping on the sidelines.

"The third team was set up to bring the younger players through.

"Andy and Phil have been running it this season but we need to get more people who are interested in helping or getting involved in running the team which involves working closely with the

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reserve management team of Robin Townsend and Mark Lock, and ultimately with me, Kevin Leigh and Dougie Smith to bring players through to the first team.

"We've had a few over the years, more recently Rhys Hayter who at 16-years-old has broken through this season, playing for the reserves before being involved in a few of the latest first team games.

"It's been a bit of a struggle this season with available numbers fluctuating from seven to 15, so what we need is a squad of players committed to play regularly; unlike some this year.

"You need a few experienced players as the basis of the team, but you also want young players who want to progress and play at the highest standard they can; young blood with a bit of ambition.

The set-up is there with good facilities,

good changing rooms and a clubhouse, you don't even have to pay subs like most amateur clubs."

Anyone interested should contact Trevor on 07771 903795 as soon as possible so they can formulate plans for the coming campaign.

Chris Luke to leave Bees

CHRIS Luke will play his last game for Bridport this Saturday at Slimbridge before he and his fiancé Fiona move to Qatar to take up teaching posts in an international school in Doha.

The 31-year-old midfielder who joined the Bees in January 2012 from Weymouth is currently teaching at Budmouth School in Weymouth.

The couple will marry in July before taking up their post before the new term where he will teach PE and Fiona maths. He told **View Sport**: "It will be a lifestyle change and a change of scenery.

"We have been offered two-year con-

tracts, and the opportunity is there to stay longer if we like, or alternatively we can come back.

"Hopefully it will work out and having spoken to people over there and the contacts we have, it should be good."

On his time with Bridport and the chance of remaining playing football he said: "I've settled in and feel like part of the club, but having played Western League football for 14 years since I was 17, it will be different.

"However, I will be playing football in Doha; I just can't stop playing football!

The school have an adult team that play in an amateur league every week, although not quite the same level as I understand.

"There is football in the school already, but I hear through my contact John Godbold who I knew from Royal Manor School and used to play for Wimbledon, that there is talk of making it in to an academy which would be exciting!"



■ **OFF TO THE MIDDLE EAST:** Bridport midfielder Chris Luke who is leaving St Mary's Field to teach in Doha.
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